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Date of Sailing About.	Steamers.	Tons.	Connecting at Aden with	Tons.
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23rd "	Arabia	8000	....	....
30th "	Salsette	6000	Maloja	12500
6th Feb.	Kaisar-i-Hind	11500	....	....
13th "	Salsette	6000	Mooltan	10000
20th "	Persia	8000	....	....
27th "	Salsette	6000	Moldavia	10000
6th March	Caledonia	8000	....	....
13th "	Salsette	6000	Egypt	8000
20th "	India	8000	....	....
27th "	Salsette	6000	Medina	12500
3rd April	Arabia	8000	....	....
10th "	Salsette	6000	Mongolia	10000
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City of Karachi ..	5,573	....	1st May

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RESERVE FUND	..... ,,	19,250,000

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Steamers.	Tonnage.	Captain	Leave Bombay about.
S.S. "Massilia"	5,001	J. Thompson	9th. Feb.1915
S.S. "Olympia"	5,124	J.L. Henderson	24thFeb.1915
S.S. "Scindia"	6,106	Wm. Kelso	14th March.1915
S.S. "Elysia"	7,868	J. Kinnaird	25th March.1915
S.S. "Castalia"	388	....	11th April.1915
S.S. "Circassia"	6,72[illegible]	F.Osborne	R.N.R. 26thAprl.1915

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NOTICES.

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TIME TABLE.

Down Northern Express.	Stations.	Up Northern Express.
1,2,3. H. M.		1,2,3. H. M.
21. 0	Dep. Bombay (Colaba)	Arr. 8.30
21.32	Arr. Agra (change at Bayana)	Dep. 7.35
20.37	" Mutra	" 8.45
23.20	" Delhi	" 6. 0
5.48	" Khatinda	" 23.45
7.18	" Ferozepore Cantonment	" 22.12
8.56	" Lahore Cantonment West	" 20.32
11.17	" Wazirabad	" 17.50
14. 0	" Sialkot (change at Wazirabad)	" 14.54
12.49	" Jhelum	" 16.12
15.50	" Rawalpindi	" 13.32
18.10	" Nowshera	" 9.47
20 18	" PeshawarCantonment	" 8.45

Between Bombay Meerut, Saharanpur, Ambala, Kalka, and Simla.

Down Northern Express.	Stations.	Up Northern Express.
1,2,3. H. M.		1,2,3. H. M.
21. 0	Dep. Bombay (Colaba)	Arr. 8.30
22.20	Arr. Delhi	Dep. 6. 0
11.23	" Meerut Cantonment	" 2.11
3.27	" Saharanpur	" 23. 5
7.26	" Ambala Cantonment †	" 21. 8
8. 0	Dep.	Arr. 20.45
		Dep. 19.30
0 30	Arr. Kalka †	Arr. 18.40
	Simla	Dep. 13 10

A through carriage runs daily on the Up and Down Northern Express trains between Bombay and Ambala †Change at Kalka and Ambala for Bombay.

NOTE.—For timings ‡ Up trains read from bottom to top of column

FREDERICK W. HANSON,
General Traffic Manager

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that MULJIBHOY DWARKADAS, of Bombay Hindu inhabitant, has contracted to sell unto our client all that piece or parcel of land or ground with all and singular the hereditaments premises and chawls built thereon, situate at Curry Road in Bombay more particularly described in the Schedule hereto free from all incumbrances.

All persons having or claiming to have any claim to or interest in the said land and premises by way of sale, mortgage, lease, inheritance, gift or otherwise are requested to make the same known in writing to the undersigned at their office in No. 90, Esplanade Road, within fourteen days from this date failing which the purchase will be completed without reference to any such claims.

THE SCHEDULE.

All that piece or parcel Foras Freehold tenure land or ground together with the messuage, tenements and dwelling houses or chawls standing thereon, situate, lying and being on the North side of Curry Road and in the City and Registration Sub-District of Bombay containing by admeasurement 3,140 square yards or thereabouts be the same a little more or less and registered by the Collector of Land Revenue under Old No. 662, 663, 687, 689 and 759, New No. a/12646, Old Survey No. ——, New Survey No. 2/2671, and assessed by the Assessor and Collector of Municipal Rates and Taxes under G. Ward Nos. 2412 (1), 2412 (2), 2412 (3), 2412 (4) and 2412 (6), Street Nos. (2), (2) A, (2) B, (2) C and (2) E, and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the North by the property formerly of Bai Cooverbai, wife of Ardeshir Cursedji Cama and now of Gora Ghandi, on or towards the East by the property formerly of Harichand Bhulaji and now of Municipality of Bombay, on or towards the South by the said Curry Road, on or towards the West partly by the property of Laxmon Govindji and partly by the property of Dadabhoy Cursedji Majoo and now acquired by the Municipality of Bombay.

Dated this day of January, 1915.

PAYNE & Co.,
4948 Purchaser's Attorneys.

NOTICE.

THE BHARATPUR PRESS CO., LD.

IN ACCORDANCE with the resolution passed at the last Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above company on 24th September, 1914, NOTICE is hereby given that an Extraordinary General Meeting of Shareholders of the company will be held on Thursday, the 14th January, 1915, at the registered office of the company No. 10, Tamarind Lane, Fort, at 3 p.m. (B. T.), to appoint an auditor for the current year and fix his remuneration.

By order of the Board,
PREMJEE OOKERDA & Co.,
Secretaries, Treasurers & Agents.
Bombay, 5th January, 1915. 4903

BANK OF BOMBAY.

NOTICE is hereby given that a DIVIDEND for the half year, ended 31st December last at the rate of 13 per cent. per annum and a bonus of 2 per cent. per annum both free from Income Tax will be payable on application on and after the 11th instant to registered shareholders on 31st December, 1914.

By order of the Board,
J. BEGBIE,
Secretary and Treasurer.
Bombay, 5th January, 1915. 4952

NOTICES.

NOTICE.

THE undersigned Messrs. PESTANJEE RUSTIM KOLA & Co. of 79, Medows Street, Fort, have amalgamated their business as from the 1st day of January, 1915, with that of the undersigned Messrs. BICKNELL MERWANJI ROMER & Co. of Hummum Street, Fort, and the business of the new firm will be carried on as from that date at Hummum Street aforesaid under the style or firm of Messrs. MERWANJI KOLA ROMER BILLIMORIA & Co.

Bombay, 1st January, 1915.

PESTANJEE RUSTIM KOLA & Co.
BICKNELL MERWANJI ROMER & Co.
4929

NOTICE.

BOMBAY PORT TRUST RAILWAY.

THE following stations will be opened on the 1st February, 1915, instead of on the 15th January, as previously notified:—

Grain Depot.
Liquid Fuel Depot.
Victoria Dock.
Alexandra Dock.

J. R. REYNOLDS,
Manager.
Nicol Road, Ballard Pier.
Bombay, 1st January, 1915. 4921

AUCTION SALE-

M. HTA & CO.

On Government & G. I. P. Railway Lists.

No. 55, Meadows Street, Fort, Bombay.

Tele. No. 1235.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY AT AGAR STREET IN MAHIM.

Under instructions from the mortgagees Messrs. Poonamchand Bhootaji and Kupa Sadaji and on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor Bai Tarabai widow of Rambhaw Hari Messrs. MEHTA & Co., auctioneers are instructed to sell by Public Auction THIS DAY WEDNESDAY the 6th day of January 1915 at 4.30 p.m. (S.T.), the following valuable landed property on the premises in virtue of the power of sale reserved to the mortgagees in the Indenture of mortgage dated 9th October 1912.

PARTICULARS OF THE PROPERTY

All that piece or parcel of Government land or ground together, with the tenements or buildings standing thereon, situate, lying and being at Agar Street, Mahim, out of the Fort of Bombay and admeasuring 6,000 square yards or thereabout and registered in the books of the Collector of Land Revenue under old No. 432 new No. 4216 and old Survey No. 592 and new Survey No. 1/1704 and which premises are assessed by the Municipality under "G" Ward Nos. 2968 (1) and 2967 and Street Nos. 432 and 433 and are bounded as follows:—that is to say on the East and South by a public passage on the West partly by a Road passage and partly by the Oart of Shri Gunpati's Pagoda and on the North partly by the Oart belonging to the Church of N. S. de Salvador and partly by the Oart of Shivdas Purshottamdas and which said premises are at present occupied by the said mortgagor and her tenants.

For further particulars and conditions of sale and inspection of deeds etc., apply to the Undersigned.

AUCTION SALE OF SHARES OF THE JOST FANS SUPPLYING AND ENGINEERING CO., LTD.

On MONDAY the 11th inst., at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. MEHTA & Co., Auctioneers will, under instructions from the Bank concerned and on account and at the risk of the Mortgagor Mr. Vithaldas Premji Parekh sell by public Auction at the Share Brokers Hall at Share Bazar Fort.

20 Fully paid up Shares of the Jost Fans Supplying and Engineering Co. Ltd., of the face value of Rs. 100 each being the balance of 100 shares previously advanced.

4 shares of the Jost Fans Supplying and Engineering Co. Ltd., of the face value of Rs. 50 each.

MEHTA & CO.,
Auctioneers
Bombay, 6th January, 1915.

MESSRS D'LAL M. & CO.

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION AGENTS

WEEKLY SALE.

THIS DAY WEDNESDAY, the 6th January, at 2.30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. D'LAL M & Co., will sell by public auction at their rooms in El. Circle Fort, near Kemp & Co., the teak and black wood office and household furniture including rich velvet and tapestry lined drawing room suites; dining tables, washing and dressing tables, fancy almyrahs, writing tables, hatstands, dirty clothes baskets panel and glassdoor cupboards, glass and cloth screens, easy chairs, chairs, side boards, cots, rocking chairs, babagadi, fancy cabinets, phonographs, records, fancy galichas, marble top round tables, wall brackets, teapoys, etc., etc.

By the order of the concerned:—

1 big showcase very useful to hotelists, chest of dawers, almyrahs, etc., etc.

The property of a private gentleman:—

Rich jewellery including rings earrings, kuda jadies, marquis, etc., etc.

D'LAL M. & Co.
Bombay, 6th January, 1915.

AUCTION SALE-

BENNETT & CO.

NO. 23, APOLLO STREET, FORT.

On SATURDAY, the 9th instant, at 3-30 p.m., (S.T.) Messrs. BENNETT & Co., will sell by Public Auction, at their Rooms, a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, etc.,

At 2 p.m., (S.T.).

1 handsome strong rubber tyred victoria, in good order.

1 second hand glass fronted miniature office brougham.

1 second hand rubber tyred palanquin office shigram, in good order.

1 grey arab horse, aged, quiet in harness. engine. (120 and 60 amps and 100 volts.) and 100 volts.)

On SUNDAY, the 10th January, 1915, at 2-30 p.m. (S. T.), Messrs. BENNETT and Co., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, at "Khandwani Mansion," Chagtiwadi opposite the Blindmen School, Tardeo, very valuable and handsome teak and blackwood French polished household furniture, Benjamin, Breslauer and others, also valuable blackwood open carved furniture, rich glass and crockery ware, best plated ware, sliding dining table, arm and without arm chairs, large mirror back sideboard, crockery stands, hall electric lamps, table lamps, carpets, drawing room suite of sofas and chairs, fancy cabinets, bronze, terracotta and parian figures, fancy China vases, and table ornaments, pictures, one light house pattern clock, 400 days clock, writing tables, chairs, glass door book cases, marble top tables, single and double bedsteads, almyrahs, dressing and wash-hand tables, card tables, dressing chest of drawers, teapoys, bent wood chairs, corner whatnots, verandah benches, cane chairs, etc., etc., the property of M. H. Vishram, Esq., Electrical Engineer, and others.

Catalogues will be published and the property is on view.

AUCTION SALE of Unclaimed and Intestate Properties.

Under instructions from the Commissioner of Police, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will, on SATURDAY, the 16th instant, at 2 p.m. (S:T.), sell by Public Auction, at the Police Commissioner's Office, opposite Crawford Market, a quantity of unclaimed and unserviceable properties, arms and ammunitions, etc.,

A deposit of 50 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

BONA-FIDE SALE.

Under instructions from the Executor of the late Mr. Nanabhoy Beramji Jeejeebhoy, Messrs. BENNETT and Co., will, on SUNDAY, the 17th day of January, 1915, at 2 p.m. (S. T.), sell by Public Auction, at "Tardeo Castle," Tardeo, very valuable and handsome teak and blackwood plain and carved French polished household furniture, table arm and without arm chairs, large mirror back sideboards, dumbwaiters, blackwood carved sofas and chairs, marble top pier tables with pier glasses, marble top round and side tables, musical boxes, low easy chairs, wall and table grandfather's clocks, bronze and Parian figures, fancy table ornaments, 5, 8, 12, 18, 24, 36 and 60 lights, rich cut glass hanging chandeliers, 2, 5, and 8 lights, table and wall candlebras epergnes, valuable English clocks, chiming ½, ¼ and 3/4 hours by different makers, large drawing room velvet carpet, large wall mirrors with fairy lights, marble and wooden pedestals, writing tables, office chairs, cabinets, mirror door almyrahs, dressing and wash-hand tables, English built Landau, brougham, vis-a-vis, victoria, barouche, mail phaeton, etc., etc.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view four days before the sale.

BENNETT & Co.
Bombay, 6th January, 1915.

MENESSE & CO.

NO. 85, HUMMUM STREET, FORT.

AUCTION SALE OF OLD STORES, SHIP'S FURNITURE, FITTINGS, BOATS, ETC., ETC.

Messrs. MENESSE & CO., are instructed to sell by Public Auction, TO-MORROW THURSDAY, the 7th January, 1915, at 2 p.m., (S. T.), in the P. and O. S. N. Co's Dockyard, Mazagon:—

A quantity of old stores, ship's requisites, fittings, etc., consisting of old canvas, canvas cutting, old flags, old ropes, brass, copper, lead, white metal and wooden fittings, broken glass and crockeryware, boats, knives, leather belting, rubber cuttings, ironware, oil casks, packing cases, iron drums, scrap iron, and miscellaneous other articles.

2 dynamoes with single cylinder vertical engine. (120 and 60 amps and 100 volts.) 4 siemens armature (60, 90, and 120 amps and 100 volts.)

Purchasers will have to pay whatever Customs duty, etc., that may be, and clear the goods within ten days from date of Auction.

AUCTION SALE OF ABOUT 73 BAGS RICE AND SUGAR.

Under instructions from Messrs. Mackinnon, Mackenzie and Co., Agents, the B. I. S. N. Co., Ltd., Messrs. MENESSE & Co., will sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at 3 p.m. (S. T.), at No. 1 Shed, Victoria Dock, on account of the concerned, the following goods:—

Ex. S. S. "Chakdara"

73 bags rice and sugar.

MENESSE & CO.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 6th January, 1915.

AUCTION SALE.

SORABJEE COWASJEE & CO.

AUCTIONEERS NO COMMISSION AGENTS. 3 CROWN STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE PIECES OF LAND KNOWN AS "ASAVIAD" LAND, SITUATE AT HILL ROAD OPPOSITE MR. KAMAT'S BUNGALOW BANDRA.

By order of Mr. Ardeshir Hormasji Madon, the administrator of the property and credits of the late Mr. Merwanji Hormasji Madon deceased, Messrs. SORABJI COWASJI & Co., Auctioneers will sell by Public Auction at the premises the undermentioned property on Saturday the 23rd day of January, 1915, at 4-30 p.m., (S. T.),

PARTICULARS OF PROPERTIES.

Plot 1:—All that piece or parcel of non-agricultural land or ground held under Agreement dated the 5th day of December, 1908 and made between the Secretary of State for India, of the one part and Merwanji Hormasji Madon of the other part containing by admeasurement 1,991 square yards or thereabouts situate on the south side of the Public Road from Bandra to Mount Mary in the town of Bandra Taluka Salsette District Thana bearing Survey No. 179A and bounded as follows:—That is to say:—on the North by the Public road from Bandra to Mount Mary, on the South by the property hereinafter secondly described; on the East by the property of Maneckji Pestonji Asavaid and on the West partly by the property of Ibrahim Jitaker and partly by the property of H. H. Aga Khan.

Plot 2:—All that piece or parcel of agricultural land or ground containing by admeasurement 1,550 square yards or thereabouts in the town of Bandra Taluka Salsette District Thana bearing Survey No. 288/ Pot No. 1 and bounded as follows:—On the North by the property firstly herein before described; on the South and East by the property of Maneckji Pestanji Asavaid; and on the West partly by the property of H. H. Aga Khan and partly by the property of Maneckji Edulji Allees.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to Messrs Bicknel, Merwanji Romer & Co. Attorneys for the Vendor at their office No. 14-K. Hummum Street, Fort, Bombay, or to the undersigned Auctioneers.

SORABJI COWASJI & Co.,
Auctioneers.
Bombay, 6th January, 1915.

AMUSEMENTS.

SKATING RINK

DAILY SESSIONS AS USUAL.
Tuesday, 12th January.
DANCING
AND
SKATING
From 9-30 to Midnight.

BOMBAY. ART SOCIETY.

AN EXHIBITION will be held of the Society in the TOWN HALL. Last day for receiving Pictures is THURSDAY, January 28th, 1915. For particulars and prospectus, apply to the Honorary Secretary Prof. O. V. Muller M. A. Elphinstone College Fort. 4821

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GAJANAN SADANAND DESAI,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

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EXCELSIOR THEATRE.

Monday, 11th January 1915. 9-45 P.M.
In aid of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families Association and The Naval Fund of the Women's Branch of The Bombay Presidency War & Relief Fund.
PROGRAMME
PART ONE.

1. Miss Joan Binning presents a Bouquet and a Programme.
2. OVERTURE....The passing show....Band of the 1st Battalion, G.I.P. Railway Volunteers by kind permission of Colonel T.W. Bonner, V.D. and officers under the direction of Mr. Hugh B. Mitchell Bandmaster.
3. A. "I know a lady sweet and kind"
   B. The awakening of a fan.
   MISS VIOLET FRAMPTON and MR. JAMES MCGRATH.

TENNYSON'S DREAM OF FAIR WOMEN

HELEN OF TROY .....Mrs. Brooke.
IPHEGENIA .....Mrs. Lane
FAIR ROSAMOND .....Mrs. Ainsworth
MARGARET MORE .....Miss Barlaw (Daughter of Sir Thomas More)
CLEOPATRA .....Miss Woolcombe
JEPHTHAH'S DAUGHTER .Mrs. R. Graham
JOAN OF ARC .....Miss Stringfellow
QUEEN ELEANOR OF ENGLAND..Mrs. Lawless (wife of Edward I) Hepper.
RECITATION..Mrs. Binning and Mr. Medley.
INCIDENTAL MUSIC supplied by Dr. E. S. Faulkner and Mr. Hopkinson.

PART TWO.

1. SONG..."Land of Hope and Glory." Mrs. Binning
2. BRITANNIA, THE ALLIES, SERBIA AND MONTENEGRO
   A. Britannia.
   B. England, Scotland Ireland and Wales.
   C. Great Britain and Ireland and the Dominions beyond the Seas.
   D. The British Empire.
   E. Entrance of the Allies, Serbia & Montenegro

BRITANNIA .....Mrs. Brooke.
IRELAND .....Mrs. S. M. Edwardes
CANADA .....Miss Lattey.
NEW ZEALAND .....Mrs. Stevenson
PACIFIC ISLANDS .....Miss Wright
ENGLAND .....Mrs. Roberts
WALES .....Mrs. Stileman
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SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Jan. 5.
Porto de Savona — Tamlongo — Genoa Nov 16th

DEPARTURES.

Jan. 5.

Meteor	Rennmersen	Singapore
Lawoe	Smith	Jedah
Circassia	Osborne	Liverpool.
St. Michael	Mc.Curdy	Calcutta.
Sanctoria	Ward	Calcutta.

The following vessels entered for loading yesterday:—

Steamer Caithness	for	Mostyn Deep.
" Begum	for	Calcutta.
" Porto de Savona	for	Gonoa.

S. S. Palitana from Zanzibar, Agents M. M. and Co.—4,366 bundles cloves, 114 bundles cloves stems, 5 bundles calf skins, 100 bags empty bottles, 40 bags cowries, 2 bags dara, 12 pieces 1 case ivory, 1 case tortoise shells, 2 cases cady shells, 7 cases hippo teeth, 26 bundles old zinc, 19 bundles old brass, 9 bundles old copper, 1 bundle old lead, 1 bundle old bronze.

S. S. Hellas from Bangkok, Agents F. F. Campbell and Co.—978 pieces teak squares, 44,943 pieces, 1,342 bundles teak scantlings.

S. S. Porto de Savona:—The Italian Mail steamer Porto de Savona, 2,543 tons, Captain B. Ta[illegible] arrived in harbour yesterday from G[illegible] which port she left on November 16, wi[illegible] general cargo, 34 cabin and 65 deck passeng[illegible]

S. S. [illegible]hael:—The steamer St. Michael, 2,418 ton[illegible]ptain J. McCurdy, sailed yesterday for C[illegible]a, with a cargo of salt.

S. S. [illegible]a:—The steamer Sanctoria, 2,377 tons, [illegible]n W. Ward, sailed yesterday for Calcutta[illegible]ailast.

S. S. City of [illegible]on:—The Ellerman Line steamer City of London left Liverpool on the 2nd instant outward bound.

PRINCES DOCK.
Tuesday, January 5th, 1915.

Clan Maclachlan	McLe[illegible]	J. Finlay & Co
Lawoe	Smith	Khaadwaal D. M.
Nirvana	Adenne[illegible]	M. M. & Co
Earl of Forfar	Harry	J. Finlay & Co
Euphobia	Steven[illegible]	W. & A. G. & Co
Ethelwolf	Boyle	Chagandas & Co

VICTORIA [illegible]

Colombo Maru	Sakamoto	N. Y. K.
Ischia	Paolitto	
Kansas	Lenkester	K. Nixon & Co
Jelunga	Lewes	T. M. & Co
Hakushika Maru	Naguchi	N. Y. Kaisha
Saigon Maru	Yamaguchi	N. Y. Kaisha.
Oriental	Valentine	P. & O. Co.
Pundua	Handcock	M. M. & Co
Varela	Denne	M. M. & Co
Khosron	Hannah	F. Morrison & Co

ALEXANDRA DOCK

Circassia	Osborne	W & A. G. & Co
India	Talbot	P. & O. Co
Querimba	Bamber	M. M. & Co

M. W. D. D.

Goodhope	Harding	A. Ashdown

A. D. H. W.

Beme	Younger	Shaw Wallace & Co

H. W. P. D.

Sabarmati	Labudin	Bo. S. N. & Co., Ld.
Saraswati	Nola	

VESSELS IN THE STREAM.

Angus	Lazzelle	A. Yule & Co.
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Arankola	Alexander	M. M. & Co.
Badrie	Evans	T. M. & Co
Baron Fairlinie	Macdonald	W. & A. G. &Co
Beme	Younger	Shaw Wallace
Caithness	Riddard	W. & A. G. & Co.
Cocoanada	Hitchings	M. M. & Co
Celtic King	Humphreys	P. & O
Dwarka	King	M.M. & Co
Devanha	Hickey	P. & O. Co
Flor di Dia	Aboo	Purshotam & Co.
Glenelg	Morrison	T. M. & Co
Hellas	Berg	F. F. Campbell & Co
Hejaz	Gray	T. M. & Co
Katue	Lerlie	
Ocean	Christiansen	Bombay Oil
Porto de Savona	Tamlongo	Italian S. N. Co
Palitana	Knipple	M. M. & Co
R. Nordrank		P. F. Campbell & Co.
Rahamani	Cusack	T. M. & Co
Saigon Maru	Yamaguchi	O. S. K.
Sandon Hall	Rowlands	W. & A. G. & Co
Silth	Elliott	T. M. & Co
Taiyabi	Cottrell	P. F. C. &Co
Vita	Cowmack	M. M. & Co
Zorostrian	Orborne	Muncherjee & Sons.

EXPORTS.

Jan. 5.

FOR LIVERPOOL.

Circassia (s) 505 bales wool, E. D. Sassoon and Co.

FOR MANCHESTER.

Circassia (s) 8 bales grey yarn, K. Nixon and Co.

FOR LONDON.

India (s) 51 cwts. deer horns, J. M. Rahimtoola; 103 bales cow hides, 13 bales sheep and goat skins, 9 cwts. fishmaws, M. J. Joomabhoy and Co.; 100 cwts. cuttle fish, P. Meharally and Co.; 275 cwts. khismiss, R. Damjee and Co.; 30 cwts. olibanum, E. Mohomed; 1 cwt. bees wax, 21 cwts. kachoora, M. A. Kayum; 61 cwts. indigo, Cox's Shipping Agency; 129 cases opium, P. and O. S. N. Co.; 37 bales cow hides, 71 bales sheep and goat skins, W. and A. Graham and Co.; 60 bales cow hides, H. Noormahomed and H. Eisa.

FOR HULL.

Euphobia (s) 2,000 cwts. cotton seed, Sunday and Co.; 6,200 cwts. cotton seed, Ralli Brothers; 2,000 cwts. cotton seed, G. Bhimjee; 220 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

Ethelwolf (s) 4,200 cwts. ground nut oil cake, T. Morrison and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Ischia (s) 731 bales cotton, 16,500 cwts, linseed, 1,999 cwts. teelseed, Ralli Brothers; 1,000 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.; 200 bales cotton, Walter, Pavri and Co.

FOR NAPLES.

Ischia (s) 200 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers.

FOR SHANGHAI.

Oriental (s) 300 bales cotton yarn, M. B. Kaisha; 400 bales cotton yarn, Greaves Cotton and Co.; 300 bales cotton yarn, A. E. J. Abraham.

FOR HONGKONG.

Oriental (s) 127 cwts. jardaloo, 64 cwts. angoor, Samjee Hansraj.

FOR OSAKA.

Colombo Maru. (s) 22 bales cotton, N. M. K. Kaisha.
Hakushika Maru (s) 99 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha.
Saigon Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, Breul and Co.

FOR KOBE.

Hakushika Maru (s) 3,000 bales cotton, G. G. Kaisha; 2,700 bales cotton, M. B. Kaisha; 350 bales cotton, Ralli Brothers; 100 bales cotton, N. Nensey and Co.
Saigon Maru (s) 200 bales cotton, G. Dossa and Co.; 300 bales cotton, Tata, Sons and Co.; 500 bales cotton, C. Bomanjee and Co.

FOR YOKKAICHI.

Saigon Maru (s) 250 bales cotton, Tata, Sons and Co.

IMPORTS.

S. S. Ischia from Genoa, Agents Maritina Italiana.—55 cases soap, 158 cases mixed piecegoods, 5 bales piecegoods, 3 bales 6 cases woollen goods, 8 cases silk goods, 10 cases artificial silk, 10 cases waste silk, 5 cases watches, 303 casks flooring tiles, 13,072 pieces marble tiles, 6,202 pieces marble slabs and blocks, 73 crates 10 cases asbestos cement slabs, 271 cases cotton goods, 16 bundles skins, 100 cases condensed milk, 4 cases 25 packages provisions, 3,729 bags almonds, 204 cases currents, 635 cases figs, 42 cases 50 barrels colour, 182 cases Vermouth, 150 cases wine, 30 cases brandy, 184 cases spirits, 102 cases mineral water, 6 cases perfumery, 30 cases glue, 15 cases olive oil, 2 barrels oil, 40 barrels citic acid, 6 barrels citric acid powder, 13 cases canvas, 1 case tobacco, 1 case cigarettes, 1 case copper nails, 72 bags gum.

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ALL INDIA WEATHER.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)
SIMLA, Jan. 5.

The disturbed conditions in south-west India have disappeared and no precipitation of importance is reported this morning.
Forecast:—No great change.

DAILY WEATHER REPORT.

Summary of observations recorded at 8 hours on Tuesday, the 5th January 1915, giving data for the preceding 24 hours.

The Punjab.—Skies are generally clear. Night temperature is in defect in the east Punjab.
The United Provinces.—Skies are lightly clouded. Temperature has become normal.
Sind and Rajputana.—Skies are lightly clouded. The air is damper than usual in upper Sind but drier elsewhere.
Gujarat, Kathiawar and Central India West.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded Night temperature is generally in defect in Kathiawar; day temperature is also below normal at Bhuj.
The Central Provinces.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded. Temperature is generally in excess.
The Konkan.—Skies are lightly clouded.
The Bombay Deccan and Hyderabad.—Skies are clear or lightly clouded.
General Remarks.—No rainfall has been reported. Conditions are slightly unsettled in the extreme south as well as in north-west India.
A few showers are possible in the extreme south.

OBSERVATIONS TAKEN at 8 a. m. on TUESDAY, the 5th of January 1915.

STATIONS.	Temp. in Shade. Maximum of past 24 hours.	Temp. in Shade. Minimum of past 24 hours.	Humidity. 8 A. M.	Rainfall. Past 24 hours.	Rainfall. Total 1st Nov. to date.	Rainfall. Variation 1st Nov. to date.
PERSIAN-GULF—						
Bushire	60.1	51.9	88	..	0.79	—0.42
Do. (4th)	..	..	..	..	..	..
Jask	..	..	..	..	..	..
Muskat	75.3	63.7	82	0.42	2.95	1.94
Do. (4th)	..	..	..	..	..	..
PUNJAB—						
Multan	74.8	43.5	70	..	0.39	—0.03
Rawalpindi	64.7	34.4	91	..	4.14	2.75
Lahore	68.6	38.2	92	..	1.07	0.50
Hissar	69.1	37.2	76	..	0.02	..
Ambala	65 7	35.1	91	..	0.29	—1.17
Delhi	67.2	45.0	71	..	0.33	..
UNITED PROVINCES—						
Agra	68.5	45.8	65	..	0	—0.47
Mainpuri	70.5	43.4	85	..	0.04	—0.66
Jhansi	75.6	50.0	68	..	0	—0.48
Cawnpore	72.0	45.9	86	..	0	—0.74
Allahabad	75.0	46.3	72	..	0	—0.67
SIND AND RAJPUTANA—						
Jacobabad	73.1	42.8	86	..	0.52	0.33
Karachi	78.0	57.6	48	..	0.55	0.32
Ajmer	70.0	42.1	56	..	0.40	0.01
Jalpore	74.2	44.2	47	..	0.12	—0.29
Kotah	75.8	51.4	65	..	0.28	—0.05
GUJARAT, KATHIAWAR AND CENTRAL INDIA WEST—						
Bhuj	71.8	45.0	63	..	0.16	0.01
Dwarka	77.6	56.8	60	..	0.00	0.03
Veraval	84.1	53.4	45	..	0	—0.40
Rajkot	79.6	45.8	38	..	0.21	—0.07
Bhavnagar Para	84.0	49.4	53	..	0	—0.32
Surat	84.1	54.5	78	..	0.70	0.51
Ahmedabad	83.4	54.6	44	..	0	—0.21
Dessa	83.2	51.3	44	..	0.05	—0.15
Neemuch	79.1	52.2	48	..	0.45	0.07
Indore	84.1	51.6	55	..	0.85	0.27
CENTRAL PROVINCES—						
Jubbulpore	83.3	50.9	71	..	0	—0.89
Sangor	82.3	54.6	48	..	0	—1.07
Hoshangabad	82.9	55	63	..	1.34	0.35
Khandwa	..	..	..	..	..	..
Akola	90.1	58.7	49	..	0.59	—0.74
Amraoti	87.2	61.1	51	..	0.30	—0.92
Nagpur	84.8	54.7	72	..	2.44	1.07
Chanda	86.7	56.6	68	..	0.33	—0.82
Raipur	84.2	56.6	68	..	0.08	—0.84
KONKAN—						
Bombay	82.3	65.4	57	..	0.18	—0.32
Ratnagiri	85.6	67.5	54	..	0.42	—0.18
Mormugao	82.2	68.9	89	..	1.43	0.29
Karwar	86.0	64.0	91	..	5.67	3.77
BOMBAY DECCAN AND HYDERABAD—						
Malegaon	80.1	53.1	56	..	1.79	1.08
Ahmednagar	84.9	52.9	48	..	1.66	0.66
Poona	88.0	52.7	68	..	0.55	—0.50
Sholapur	89.2	59.4	55	..	3.26	1.96
Bijapur	86.1	60.5	58	..	2.79	1.60
Belgaum	83.4	54.6	63	..	3.77	1.94
Aurangabad	85.8	57.4	50	..	1.13	0.30
Nizamabad (Indur).	87.4	58.6	71	..	0.70	—0.05
Hyderabad	82.8	60.1	89	..	0.18	—0.87
MALABAR AND CEYLON—						
Mangalore	87.9	68.0	68	..	3.45	0.17
Calicat	86.5	..	80	..	3.83	—2.09
Cochin	88.8	73.7	65	..	11.93	3.84
Colombo	80.5	72.8	92	0.03	15.19	—3.10
MADRAS (EXCLUDING MALABAR) AND MYSORE—						
Masilpatam	82.0	68.2	78	..	0.66	—5.39
Bellary	90.0	61.1	74	..	2.67	0.58
Cuddapah	87.2	60.5	88	..	2.52	—1.95
Madras	84.1	67.8	85	..	14.80	—4.47
Bangalore	80.3	55.6	91	..	1.58	—1.80
Coimbator	86.6	54.3	74	..	2.86	—1.63
Trichintam oly	85.7	70.7	73	..	4.79	—2.59
Negapao	81.8	65.7	76	..	17.97	—0.13

STANDARD BAROMETER READING.

The following information is published in order that vessels in the Bombay Harbour may by comparison with a standard instrument, ascertain the errors of their barometers:—
The reading of the Standard Barometer at the Colaba Observatory corrected for index error and reduced to 50 deg. F. and to the level of the tide, at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time on the 5th January 1915 was 30.206 inches
For temperature, corrections applicable to mercurial barometers of ships the reading of the ship's barometer has to be increased or decreased by 0.18 inch. for every 5 degrees according as the temperature of the attached thermometer is respectively below or above 88 deg. F. In case of the aneroid no temperature or correction is needed. But for comparison at 30 F. all aneroid reading should be increased by 138 inch. For correcting the ship's barometer either mercurial or aneroid for the height of the barometer cistern above the tide level in the stream at 8-45 a.m. Standard Time, the ship's barometer reading should be increased by 0.10 inch. for every 10 feet of the height to make it comparable with the observatory barometer reading given above.

TEMPERATURE IN BOMBAY.

GOVERNMENT OBSERVATORY, COLABA
Bombay, 4th January 1915.
Means of observations, taken at 6. a.m., 10 a.m., 2 p.m., 4 p.m. and 10 p.m.

Barometer corrected to 32deg. Fahr ...	29.969Inches.
Temperature of Air ...	75.2degrees.
Wet Bulb Thermometer ...	67.5 "
Dew Point ...	63.5 "
Relative humidity of Air ...	0.675 "
Extent of cloudy sky (the whole sky cloudy —10 ...	0—6 "
Maximum temperature of Air ...	82.3 "
Minimum do. do. ...	65.4 "
General direction of Wind from midnight to midnight ...	NNW,ESE,WNW,NWN
Movement of Wind in 24 hours from midnight to midnight ...	139

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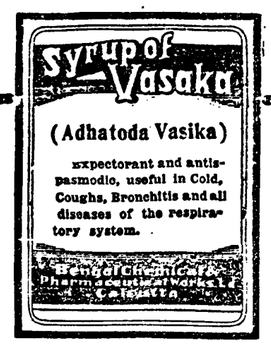
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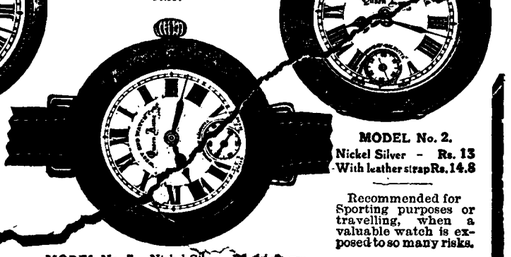

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MARKET REPORTS.

COTTON.

The advance which commenced in New York last Saturday, has now been reflected in Liverpool, where prices closed 15 points up on the day, and it would appear that further evidence is unnecessary to establish the fact that Liverpool's attitude, for the present at least, is to maintain rates. As a matter of fact Liverpool has gone ahead of New York in the upward run for May and October by 2 and 4 points respectively—a significant sign of the tendency at this centre.

The strength of the position lies in the fact, that although prices have been lower, they are still dangerously low, and though we may revert temporarily to the former weak level which many anticipate, there is really very little risk in buying stock now, the procedure being tolerably safe. The chief obstacle to any extensive buying at present is probably due more to difficulties in financing, than to any great anxiety with regard to prices receding much lower. In this respect India affords a typical example with regard to the difficulties which may now have to be encountered before a workable credit can be established with the Home side. Before the war broke out this was accomplished by India exporting the raw material to Germany. Goods were then sent to the United Kingdom in exchange for this raw material, thereby creating a credit in favour of India. And until some other method of finance is devised to take the place of this, so to speak, endless chain of finance, free buying is likely to be hampered. Other buying centres are probably suffering in the same way, but not to such a great extent. This little problem must of necessity be solved, for, as the war is likely to last for sometime yet, India cannot be expected to hold her cotton indefinitely.

The reason for the present advance can scarcely be ascribed to any improvement in trade conditions, and is more likely due to bull operators in Chicago and New York working a small market for all it is worth. Whether they will succeed in their enterprising venture under existing adverse conditions is a moot point, and though the speculative clique may be strong enough to drive rates up to the level of five pence within the next few days, a reaction is likely to follow on, which may send prices back to 4.50. The trend of events will be watched with some anxiety, as the recent rise in prices has made matters distinctly unpleasant for those who are short in the market.

BOMBAY MARKET.

The local market is still in the hands of the Marwari speculators, who succeeded in establishing a further advance of Rs. 2 all round. A few export houses came out yesterday as sellers for January and March, and though this fact can by no means be accepted as a criterion of market instability, the demand from mills has slackened off owing to the advance. Towards the close of the afternoon a weaker tone prevailed, owing to the fact of some of the previous buyers unloading to a small extent, and rates receded about Re. 1-8 on the midday quotations.

We quote:—
F G. Bengals (January), Rs. 126.
Good Broach (March), Rs. 185-8.
Khamgaon Akola (January), Rs. 157.
Khamgaon Akola (March), Rs. 154.

CABLE QUOTATIONS.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Liverpool, Jan 4th.

Opening Tone	Firm
Estimated Sales	8,000
Total Imports	50,384

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	Previous closing price.	To-day's price.
May-June	4.34	4.46
June-July	..	..
July-Aug.	4.41	4.52
Aug.-Sept.	..	..
Sept.-Oct.	..	..
Oct.-Nov.	4.52	4.64
Nov.-Dec.	..	..
Dec.-Jan	..	..
Jan.-Feb.	4.58	4.70

	Bales.
Total Day's Sales at Liverpool ...	10,000
Total Day's Sales on Spec. & for Exp.	1,000
Total Day's Sales of East Indian ...	350
Total Day's Imports	50,384
Tone of Liverpool Cotton Spot:—Steady.	
Mid Americans	4.71d.
Egyptian F. G. F.	6.30d.
New York Official noon call March	8.06
May	8.26
New Orleans 10 a.m. May	8.02

CLOSING PRICES.

Months.	To-day's price.
May-June	4.49
June-July	...
July-Aug.	4.56
Aug.-Sept.	...
Sept.-Oct.	...
Oct.-Nov.	4.67
Nov.-Dec.	...
Dec.-Jan.	...
Jan.-Feb.	4.73

OPENING TONE AND PRICES.

Opening Tone	Quiet.
Estimated Sales	10,000
Total Imports	60,201

FUTURE DELIVERY PRICES:—

Months.	To-day's price.
May-June	4.50
June-July	...
July-Aug.	4.56
Aug.-Sept.	...
Sept.-Oct.	...
Oct.-Nov.	4.67
Nov.-Dec.	...
Dec.-Jan.	...
Jan.-Feb.	4.73

(By our Commercial Correspondent.)

LIVERPOOL.

	M-J	J-A	O-N	J-F'16
31st Dec. Close	4.34½	4.41	4.52	4.58
4th Jan. Open	4.45	..	..	4.68
4th Jan. Close	4.49½	..	..	4.73
	pl. 15	..	..	pl. 15

EGYPTIAN.	May	July	NEW YORK.	May	Oct.
31st Dec. Close.	6.12	6.26	2nd Jan. Close.	8.12	8.55
4th Jan. Open.	..	..	4th Jan. 11 a.m.	8.24	8.64
4th Jan. Close.	6.27	6.41	4th Jan. Close.	§8.31	8.78
	pl. 15	pl. 15		..	..

AMERICAN MARKET.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

Day's Receipts at all U. S. Ports ..	53,000
Day's Exports to Great Britain	53,000
Futures at New York, March	8.12
Previous closing price	7.93
Futures at New York, May	8.31
Previous closing price	8.12
Spot Cotton at New York	8.05
Previous price	7.90
Spot Cotton at New Orleans	7½
Previous price	7½
Futures at New Orleans, March ...	7.83
Previous price	7.55
Futures at New Orleans, May	8.02
Previous price	7.75
Fair Rio Coffee (No. 7 quality).....	7½
Demand Bills	4/84.85
Silver Commercial Bars	48¾

ADDITIONAL QUOTATIONS.

Good Bengal M. G.	3.06d.
F. G. ,, ...	3.18d.
Fine ,, ,, ...	3.30d.
Fine M. G. Bhownuggur	3.94d.
Good Oomra M. G.	3.76d.
F. G. ,, ,, ...	3.88d.
Fine ,, ,, ...	4.00d.
Good M. G. Oomra	3.88d.
Fine M. G. Oomra	4.12d.
Good Broach	4.05d.
F. G. ,, ...	4.20d.
Fine ,, ...	4.35d.

MONEY MARKET.

London, Jan. 4th.

Bar Silver Spot.	22 5/8.
Discount, Bank of England Rate 5 per cent. since 8th August 1914.	
Discount Bank Bills 3 m/st.	2⅓.
Discount Indian Bank Bills 6 m/st.	3½.
Discount Fine Trade Bills 3 months.	4⅝.
Discount Fine Trade Bills 6 months.	5¼.
Interest day to day loans.	1½.
Interest 7 day market loans.	1¾.

MISCELLANEOUS MARKETS.

London, Jan. 4.

WHEAT.

Wheat White Delhi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. April.-May Buyers..	52⅜
Wheat Choice White Karachi, per 492lbs C.I.F. May.-June. Paid.	52
Wheat F.A.Q. Red Karachi, per 492 lbs. C.I.F. Jan.-Feb.	53½

SOUTH AMERICAN.

Rozario Santa Fe—60 lbs. January.	52
Barletta Russo—62½ lbs	52

AUSTRALIAN,

South Australian.	48/6

SEEDS.

Linseed Bombay per 416 lbs. ex-Ship Jan.-Feb.	48/6
Toria Rapeseed.	43

LINSEED.

Linseed Argentine (La Plata) Jan.-Feb.	42/9

COTTONSEED.

Bombay Cottonseed (sound delivered per ton)	9[illegible]

JAVA SUGAR.

Fine White Java C. & F. Calcutta (afloat) Excluding duty and clearing charges, C.I.F.	22/3

ARRIVALS.

3rd & 4th Jan. 1915

	Bales.
Khandeish	613
Central India	117
Barsi & Nagpur	450
Berar	3,894
Central Provinces	1,384
Dhollera	—
Broach	—
Compta & Dharwar	—
Westerns	—
Bengal & N. W. Provinces	4,69
Rajputana	278
Sind	419
T ta...	11,824
Total for 4 days	21,789
,, to date since 1st September ..	2,6 1,415
,, same time last season	9,41,445

ARRIVALS OF COTTON, PRODUCE AND PRINCIPAL FOOD GRAINS IN BOMBAY.

	2 Day's Total.	4 Days.	Since 1st Jan 1914	Same period last year
	bls.	Bls.	Bls.	Bls.
Cotton	11,824	21,781	21,789	50,964
	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.	Cwts.
Wheat	32,318	47,713	47,713	8,534
Linseed	743	1,455	1,455	13,827
Rape, Rai, Mustard Seeds	2,339	3,680	3,680	648
Gingellyseed	9,397	13,690	13,690	60,800
Poppyseed	—	..	..	472
Groundnut	4,186	10,887	10,887	39,984
Castorseed	5,160	8,442	8,442	15,823
Rice	4,417	11,096	11,096	13,142
Myrabollams	3,524	6,220	6,220	8,068
Cottonseed	31,819	71,246	71,246	90,325
Mowraseed	1,293	1,771	1,771	2,389
Gram	3,051	3,809	3,809	5,932
Joowari	5,577	14,324	14,324	12,932
Barley	—	93	93	47
Maize	71	152	152	—

SHARE MARKET.

Closing quotations for February Settlement.

Manekji Petit	1,765
Framji Petit	1,275
Standard	925
David	500
Kohinoor	690
Colaba	1,300
Fazulbhoy	387½
Ahm. Advance	780
Swadeshi	1,395
Central India	1,765

For Cash Delivery:—

Central India (5 per cent.) Pref.	490
Tata Iron Ord.	96-8
Tata Iron Defd	206
Tata Iron Pref. (6 per cent.)	156
Tata Hydro Ord	1,170
Tata Hydro Pref. (7 per cent.))	1,160 (Nominal.)
Port Cannings	790
Bombay Burmah	922-8
Tapty Velley	565
Central Provinces	111

GOVERNMENT PAPER.

A few transactions in Government Paper were reported at Rs. 98¼.

4 per cent City Improvement Trust Bonds were placed at Rs. 98¼.

BANK OF BOMBAY'S HALF-YEARLY PROFITS.

Total Profit .. .. Rs. 13,29,684 14 5

Applied as follows:—

To Dividend at the rate of 13per cent perannum free from Income Tax ..	Rs.6,50,000 0 0
Bonus at the rate of 2 per cent per annum free from Income Tax	,, 1,00,000 0 0
Carried forward	,, 5,79,684 14 5
	Rs.13,29,684 14 5

EMBARGO ON RUBBER IMPORTS.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

COLOMBO, Jan. 4,

The London correspondent of the "Times of Ceylon", cables:—

The American rubber manufacturers represent that unless the embargo on rubber imports be removed 250,000 men will be thrown out of employment and a million sterling of invested capital rendered idle.

They point out that owing to the rise of crude rubber value in America the American manufacturers are unable to compete even in the home markets with English competitors.

A solution may perhaps be found in the United Sates Government furnishing a guarantee for the destination of the exports.

The Rubber Growers' Association announces the presentation of rubber hot water bottles in various hospitals. The Association has been asked to supply the Royal Flying Corps with rubber boots.

All stock exchange Mincing Lane transactions on re-opening on January 4th will be for cash only. There will be no carrying over.

SUN, MOON AND TIDES AT BOMBAY

The following are the hours and heights of the tides in Bombay Harbour during the ensuing week. Hours stated in Bombay Mean Time, depth of water is at Prince's Dock still.

Day of week	Day of Month.	HIGH WATER. Bombay Mean Time.	Depth. on Still.	Month.	LOW WATER. Bombay Mean Time	Depth. on Still.
	Jan	h. m.	ft. in.	Jan	h. m.	ft. in
Tu.	5	m 1 33	29 0	5	m 7 42	18 8
		1 40a	26 3		7 17a	16 8
W.	6	m 2 10	28 7	6	m 8 18	18 1
		2 25a	26 0		7 55a	17 6
Th.	7	m 2 47	28 0	7	m 8 59	18 3
		3 13a	25 8		8 41a	18 10
F.	8	m 3 28	27 4	8	m 9 50	18 8
		4 23a	25 4		9 40a	20 10
Sat	9	m 4 15	26 9	9	m 10 52	17 9
		5 40a	25 4		10 58a	21 2
Sun	10	m 5 12	26 1	10		
		7 5a	25 9		0 2a	17 0
M.	11	m 6 24	25 7	11	m 0 47	21 9
		8 35a	26 8		1 16a	16 8

The following are the hours of sunrise and sunset according to Indian Standard Time during the ensuing week:—

Jan.		Sunrise		Sunset
,,	5 (Tuesday)	,, 7h. 13m.	,,	6h. 15m
,,	6 (Wednesday)	,, 7h. 13m.	,,	6h. 15m
,,	7 (Thursday	,, 7h. 14m.	,,	6h. 16m
,,	8 (Friday)	,, 7h. 14m.	,,	6h. 17m
,,	9 (Saturday)	,, 7h. 14m.	,,	6h. 17m
,,	10 (Sunday)	,, 7h. 14m.	,,	6h. 18m
,,	11 (Monday)	,, 7h. 14m.	,,	6h. 18m

Phases of the Moon:—First Quarter 1914 December 24th 1h.5h. 8m. p.m. Full Moon 1915 Jan. 1st. 1915 5h 50-5m. p.m. Last Quarter Jan. 9thm.2h. 42-6m. am New Moon January 15th 8h. 11-9p.m

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BOMBAY CITY AND SUBURBS.

PUBLIC ENGAGEMENTS

TO-DAY.

Municipal Standing Committee Meeting, 4-10 p.m.

THURSDAY, Jan. 7.

Bombay Hunt, Rifle Butts.
Bombay High Court opens after Christmas Recess.
Bombay Municipal Corporation Meeting, 4-40 p.m.
H. E. Lady Willingdon's Purdah Party at Government House, 5 p.m.

FRIDAY, JANUARY 8.

H. E. Lady Willingdon's Tea Party at Government House, 5 p.m.

SATURDAY, Jan. 9.

Bombay Races, 5th Extra Meeting, first race starts at 2-30 p.m.
P and O. Co's s.s. Arabia with English Mails due, 8 a.m.

DAILY.

Bombay Presidency Chess Tournament, "B" Class, Bombay Chess Club Room, 8-10 a.m. and 5-30 to 10-30 p.m. (.ST.).
Excelsior Theatre of Varieties, 6-30.
America-India Cinematograph, Charni Road, 7 to 8-15, 8-30 to 9-45, and 10 to 11-15.
Imperial Cinematograph, Charni Road, 7 to 8-30, 8-45 to 10-15, 10-30 to 12.
Olympia Cinematograph, Sandhurst Road, 5-15 to 6-45, 7 to 8-30, 9 to 10-30, and 11 to 12-30.
Chhatre's Circus, Gilder Tank, Grant Road, 9-30 p.m.
Palace of Varieties, Gaiety Theatre, 6-30 and 10 p.m.
Skating Rink, 8 to 9, 9-30 to 10-30 a.m., and 6 to 8, 9-30 to 11-30 p.m.
Palladium, Kalbadevi, 6-30 and 10 p.m.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLES.

January 6.

Regimental Orders by Lieut.-Colonel P. R. Cadell, C.I.E., Commanding.

1081. Mobilization.—Companies are detailed for duty as follows:—
"A," "B" and "E" Companies, from Wednesday, January 6th to Wednesday, January 13th.
"G" Company Wednesday night January, 13th to Wednesday morning January 20th.
o. C. Companies will detail 10 N. C. Officers and 54 men to parade at Headquarters daily at 6-30 p.m., during their tour of duty.
Dress.—Drill Order with helmets, haversacks and water-bottles.
Clothing.—Clothing will be issued to "G" Company on Monday January, 11th.
Mobilization Kit.—Men detailed for duty must bring mobilization kit in accordance with Corps Standing Orders.
Rations.—All men detailed for Guard duty must bring their own food for the night. Tea will be provided in the morning, and men will receive compensation in lieu of rations.
Company Office.—All Company Office work will be carried out in the Tents erected at Headquarters for this purpose.

1046. Musketry.—The range at Ghat Kopar is allotted as follows:—
Monday January 4th, to Saturday, January 9th.—"D" Company.
Train leaves Victoria Terminus at 6-15 a.m.

1081. Parades.—Company parades for the week ending January 9th:—
"D" Company.—Thursday, at 5-45 p.m., at Telegraph Quarters.
"G" Company, Thursday, at 7-30 a.m., at the Gymkhana.
Recruits and Special Reserve.—Wednesday and Friday at 7-30 a.m. at the Gymkhana.

4. "C" Company will parade on Thursday, the 7th instant. Fall in at Head-Quarters at 6 p.m. sharp. Dress.—Drill Order with helmets. No leave will be granted.

(Sd.) C. N. MOBERLY, Capt.,
Adjutant, Bombay Vol. Rifles.

GOVERNOR'S BAND AT THE VICTORIA GARDENS.

By king permission of their Excellencies the Governor's Band, under the direction of Ernest A. Barratt, Esq., Director of Music to his Excellency, will play this evening at the Victoria Gardens, the following programme of music, commencing at 6 p.m., (S. T.)

March.—Sons of the Brave. .....Bidgood.
Selection.—The Passing Show. .....Finck.
Serenade.—O sole Mio. .....Capua.
Overture.—Light Cavalry. .....Suppe.
Morceau.—Hoartsense. .....Macbeth.
Waltz.—As once in May. .....Kollo.
Song.—I'll Sing Thee Songs of Araby....
Selection.—The Gondoliers. .....Sullivan.
Two Step.—Paddy's Puting. .....Holiday.
The National Anthems of Russia, Belgium, Japan, France and GOD SAVE THE KING-EMPEROR.

BAND AT THE BOMBAY GYMKHANA.

By kind permission of Colonel T. W. Bonner, V.D., and Officers, the Band of the 1st Battalion, G. I. P. Railway Volunteers, will play this evening the following programme of music, under the direction of Mr. Hugh, B. Mitchell, Band Master, commencing at 6 p.m.

March.—Entry of the Boyard's .....Halvorsen.
Overture.—Romantique .....Keler Bela.
Valse.—Columbine ..... Gardner.
Selection.—The Godoliers .....Sullivan.
Standchen.—(Ap. 264) .....Czibulka.
Selection.—Peggy. .....Leslie Stuart.
Two Step.—Puppchen. .....Gilbert.
Rule Britannia.

THE NEXT MAIL.

The P. & O. Company's S. S. 'Arabia with the outward Mails of the 19th ultimo is expected to arrive in Bombay at 8 a.m. on Saturday next.

CONCERT AT QUEEN MARY HIGH SCHOOL

The concert which has been arranged for the benefit of H. E. Lady Willingdon's War Relief Fund by Miss Mellard and Miss Gedge, on behalf of the Ladies' Branch of the National Indian Association, at Miss Wilson's Queen Mary High School takes place to-day. Members are reminded that they have the privilege of inviting two lady friends on payment of one rupee each.

TABLEAUX VIVANTS.

At the Excelsior Theatre on Monday next an entertainment arranged by a number of local ladies and gentlemen is to be given in aid of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Families Association and the Naval Fund of the Women's Branch of the Bombay Presidency War and Relief Fund. The entertainment will take the form of tableaux vivants, and representations of Tennyson's "Dream of Fair Women," and Brittania and the Allies will be given.

DAILY MORTALITY RETURNS.

On Monday no cases of either plague, smallpox or cholera were reported in Bombay. The total mortality from all causes during the day was 58; as compared with 94, of the corresponding day of 1913 and 84 of 1912. Out of a total of 1,862 rats caught by the municipal rat-catchers on Monday, 3 were found to be plague, stricken. These had been caught one each in Dongri, Mandvi and 2nd Nagpada respectively.

BOY'S SAD DEATH.

Two Parsi lads named Fakirji Framji Harver (7) and Minocher Dhanjishah Kapadia (5) both residing in Sitaram Buildings, Princess Street, were playing in the house of the former's parents on Tuesday, and entered a large wooden box in which dirty linens were kept. Unfortunately the lid fell down, and they could not open it. Some time later, the grandmother of Fakirji heard groans, and opened the lid of the box, and to her great distress she discovered that Fakirji had died, and Minocher in an unconscious condition.

THEFT IN A HOSPITAL.

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector Ahmedali charged Asad Mahomed, a pedlar, with stealing three gold charms, valued at Rs. 15, belonging to Gulamhussein Mahomedali.

The complainant went to visit a sick man in the Lady Hardinge Base Hospital or Monday afternoon, when he felt a jerk and found the charms had been torn from his chain. He seized the accused and asked him to unfold his palm. The latter would not, but was eventually forced to do so, and was then found in possession of the charms. The accused was handed over to the police. As there were a number of previous convictions against him he was committed to take his trial at the Criminal Sessions of the High Court.

The accused was also charged with being in possession of a watch valued at Rs. 35, suspected to have been stolen or fraudulently obtained. After the evidence had been recorded, the Magistrate remarked that according to a ruling of the High Court, mere suspicion of a theft would not do, and that there must be a belief. The accused's defence was that he had bought the watch in a shop at Karachi. He was discharged.

THEFT OF "THE SIEGE OF LIEGE."

At the Esplanade Police Court, yesterday, before the Chief Presidency Magistrate, Sub-Inspector Sorabji charged William Hainsworth, a European, with the theft of a copy of the "Siege of Liege" from the bookstall at the Victoria Terminus. The accused was seen to pick up the book from the bookstall and walk away with it after rolling it up in a piece of newspaper. He was arrested by Sergeant Sutteliffe. He was convicted and sentenced to a day's simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 3.

HAD A DROP TOO MUCH.

At the Mazagon Police Court, yesterday, before the Acting Fourth Presidency Magistrate, Inspector Spiers charged Daya Makund and Purshotam Nanji with the theft of a motor car of the value of Rs. 4,500, belonging to Dr. Murzban B. Kothawalla of Lamington Road.

The accused, who were employed by the doctor as a cleaner and cook respectively, had too much liquor on Sunday night. They took out their master's car for a drive without his permission and as neither of them knew how to drive it, the car went on to a footpath near the Bandstand and was damaged to the extent of Rs. 100. They were arrested.

The Magistrate said it was a technical offece of theft. He convicted them and sentenced the first accused to a day's simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 30, or twenty-five days' rigorous imprisonment, and the second to a day's simple imprisonment and a fine of Rs. 10, or fifteen days' rigorous imprisonment.

Reports from Afghanistan speak of an early and severe winter in that country. Two feet of snow fell in Cabul in the first half of December and the weather since has been very cold.

The report of Mr. J. McNeill and Mr. Chimman Lal on the condition of Indian immigrants in Trinidad, Jamaica, Fiji and other places has been referred to the Local Governments for consideration.

THE KING AND QUEEN OF THE BELGIANS.

Reproduced from the "Illustrated London News."

King Albert and Queen Eliszabeth walking on the sands near Dunkirk.

LETTERS FOR ENEMY COUNTRIES.

RULES OF CENSORSHIP.

(ASSOCIATED PRESS.)

SIMLA, Jan. 5.

The following Press communique has been issued:—Private letters to enemy countries through neutral countries are now allowed to be forwarded subject to usual conditions of censorship. British subjects and subjects of Allied and neutral countries wishing to communicate with friends in enemy countries, must forward their letters through friends or an agency in a neutral country and correspondents may in the latter case select their own agency. Letters intended for transmission to enemy countries should be as brief as possible, should contain nothing but personale matte, and should be written very legibly in English, French or German. Persons sending letters for transmission to enemy countries through a neutral country must in all cases add their full name and addsess at the foot of their letter. Persons desiring to correspond with friends in an enemy country through a neutral country may forward their letters themselves direct to the censor or may arrange with their agents t do so; in either case the cover (if any) of the letter for the enemy country must be open and the cover to the letter for the neutral country must beb open and fully stamped and addressed. Such letters will be accepted for transmission by postal censors at Bombay, Calcutta, Madras, Karachi and Rangoon. Any letter forwarded in this manner to the censor will, if passed for transmission be marked as passed by "Censor" and posted, and if not passed for transmission will be returned to the sennder either direct or through the agent who forwarded it. Any letter passing through the post which may be found to contain an enclosuree for an enemy country, and which has not been first submitted to the censor in the manner prescribed above will be destroyed, irrespective of the nature of its centents

LEVEL CROSSING AT MARINE LINES.

TO THE EDITOR OF "THE CHRONICLE."

Sir,—Allow me to draw, through the medium of your paper, the attention of the B. B. & C. I. Railway authorities to the disgraceful state of the level, crossing at the North end of the Marine Lines Station and opposite the West end of the Princess Street. It is strange that upto this time neither the attention of the P. W. Inspector nor that of the Resident Engineer has been drawn to it. The wooden footpath across the rails at the crossing is in a very uneven and broken state, and moreover, it is so very narrow, that two persons, coming from opposite directions can hardly pass one another without touching. Again, the gates are guarded by two dull-witted fellows who do not seem to be fully acquainted with their duties. Often they close the gates immediately they get warning beats from Church Gate or Grant Road, detaining people for long periods, extending sometimes even to 10 minutes. This causes a crowd of people at a most dangerous corner the Queen's Road, which, especially in the evening when there is a large vehicular traffic, makes it a hard job for the City Police to control. It is a matter for surprise that the Police have not moved in the matter.

To remedy this extremely undesirable state of things, I would suggest that the wooden footpath should be broadened and also that the crossing be removed a little further up towards Churni Road.—Yours, etc.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

Bombay, Jan. 4.

ADAPTABLE "TERRIERS."

SCENES AT THE VICTORIA DOCKS.

INTERESTING INCIDENTS..

The British Territorial is an adaptable person, as anyone who paid a visit to Alexandra Docks yesterday afternoon will testify.

A few hours before the s.s. Aragon had been docked and the troops, two regiments of the Hampshire, had been allowed off the ship to stretch their legs after their long journey across the seas of half the world. They found themselves in a strange land, in the midst of scenes such as they had never witnessed before, and yet, with things generally as different to what they had been accustomed to can well be imagined, they made themselves quite at home in half an hour. Rosy-cheeked lads from Bournemouth, Southampton, Portsmouth or Winchester swaggered about the quays with as much assurance as though they were time-expired soldier men going Home after doing years in the country instead of citizen soldiers just out and about to enter for the first time on actual service.

That they found much to amuse them goes without saying. Indian hawkers and work people were at the docks in force, and their methods proved of deep interest to the "Terriers." A shoemaker busily plying his trade in the shade of one of the sheds had an admiring audience, who wondered audibly how he could get such good results when working under such primitive conditions, and he held their attention until a barber came along. This *hajum* was a self-possessed boy of fourteen or so, and by signs, eked out by a word or two of English, he made the group understand that he would cut their hair or shave them "at very cheap price." But no one wanted a hair-cut or a shave, so the youthful practitioner produced the needles and other instruments with which Indian barbers attend to the nails of their customers, and one bold "Terrier" indulged in a manicure treatment.

The man who took their fancy most, however, was an India soldier sentry at the entrance to No. 7 shed. While the writer was standing there two officers entered the shed, and the way the sentry brought his rifle to the salute aroused the admiration of the group who watched him. "Isn't he smart?" said one of them, and the others whole-heartedly agreed. A short distance away, two Territorials had struck up an acquaintanceship with another sepoy, who was laughingly trying to explain to them how his *puggree* was fashioned.

It was a rather warm afternoon, and the water in the dock, must have appeared inviting to a number of the men who stayed on board the ship, for several of them put on bathing costumes, climbed down a rope ladder on the off-side of the ship, and had a swim in the dock, much to the amusement of the coolies who were working there.

Chatting to the men, a "Chronicle" representative learnt that they had had a very pleasant trip. They left Southampton three weeks ago last Saturday, five ships in all, and were escorted as far as Gibraltar by a British warship. From "The Rock," however, they came along "on their own," and after leaving the Mediterranean each ship made its best speed to Bombay independent of the others. It was a lovely trip through the Mediterranean, they said, and the Red Sea was quite cool. In that torrid sea they were fortunate enough to strike a strong head wind, and thus passed through in comfort

Things were quiet in England when they left, the men said, and everybody there was confident as to the issue of the war.

Of the five ships which are bringing the Second Wessex Division of Territorials, as this third batch is called, two, the Nile and the Aragon have arrived, and the other three, the Ionian, Dunera and Saturnia are expected to-day or to-morrow. The units comprising the Second Wessex, which includes both artillery and infantry are:—

1st Hampshire Battery; 2nd Hampshire Battery; 3rd Hampshire Battery; 6th Hampshire Battery; 5th Somerset L. I.; 4th Devonshire Regt. (half); 4th Dorset Regt.; 5th Hampshire Regt.; 7th Hampshire Regt.; 1st Devonshire Battery; Wiltshire Battery; 3rd Devonshire Battery; 4th Wiltshire Regt.; 2nd Devonshire Battery; Dorset Battery; 4th Somerset L. I. and 6th Battn. Devonshires.

These are all reserve regiments of the troops which came out as the First Wessex Division, which were the first Territorails to arrive in India two or three months ago.

All the troops, except one battalion, are bound for up-country stations, and will leave Bombay to-day to-morrow, and Friday.

THE SECRET OF RENEWED ENERGY

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THE BOMBAY CHRONICLE.

Wednesday, January 6th, 1915.

THE WORLD'S DESIRE.

Tradition is a potent and ever present factor in the international relations of States. When war with Turkey was declared many of us felt a poignant pang of regret, that this rupture should have been the sad sequel to an old and tried friendship between the British and Ottoman Empires. We view ourselves at war with a State, whose integrity we ever sought to preserve, a nation with whose interests we associated ourselves for long decades. Many of us have sought consistently and with the lingering sentiments of an old devotion, for something in the chaos of to-day, which might reveal one gleam of hope, that the Dominion we have endeavoured to defend in the past, might yet be preserved for a better future, and we cannot honestly deny that saving symptoms are present even at this stage of an unsought, undesired and unhappy conflict. If there is a hope, and there is one, it lies with the Ottoman race, and it is a happy augury in these dreary days, that already the best elements among the masses of this once illustrious people are reported to be gradually realising the folly of their leaders and the treachery of the agents and hirelings of Potsdam.

Judging from the telegrams received yesterday and during the past few days there is a strong and increasing anti-German movement in Constantinople and General von der Goltz's mission is generally regarded as doomed to failure. The fact remains that the Turkish people did not want the war while many of the most enlightened and progressive of the upper classes viewed with dismay and despair the gradual ascendency of the German element over the Council of Union and Progress and the eventual launching of the country into the great European war. These are facts we must never permit ourselves to forget when we find ourselves confronted will premature suggestions as to the future fate of the world's most desired city, from the days of Paleologus to the present time,—Constantinople. In some quarters, especially among those who retain the vestiges of classic sentiment Greece has been put forward as the natural successor to the glories of the Eastern Caesars! It would be as well for these to remember that after all Byzantium was never the natural home of the Greeks but one of their far-flung possessions, even as the Isles of the Aegean were a part of the Empire of the Zoroastrian Achemeniae. But, in any event, we cannot conceive of any reason or interest which would bring the Greeks to Constantinople as a result of the present war. But suggestions of a much more likely character are being put forward. The "Review of Reviews" seems to hold a very definite view on the matter and avers:—

Now there is no doubt that at the end of this war Russia will take possession of that city and the Bosphorus, and thus obtain her great desire,—an ice-free port. Russia by her wonderful sacrifices and services in aid of her Allies, has fully merited this prize, especially as the conditions now prevailing are very different to those when Great Britain opposed Russia's ambition. Since the Turks cannot longer hold it, her only possible successors is Russia. Let us assure her that in this country at least there will be no opposition to the long deferred fulfilment of her destiny.

It has been insisted on, and with a righteous sense of humanity, that this stupendous holocaust which pervades the seats of our boasted civilisation, if it be not the final of its kind, at least should be concluded in such a way as to ensure as far as is humanly possible, the removal of all seen causes of strife. There is a concensus of opinion that in the future settlement of the Western Continent, the guiding principle of any territorial redistribution should be based on the claims of race and race alone. On this hypothesis the suggestion that the Turks should have a foreign master in Constantinople is inadmissible.

We are waging the war, primarily, neither for aggression, or territorial aggrandisment but for the re-establishment of more peaceful conditions. Any settlement which is likely to defeat in the end this principle, will be an ephemeral arrangement and the precursor of future strife. We yet hope that the Turkish nation may discover in its midst some prescient Brutus, in order that, not only the Ottoman Empire, but our Allies and ourselves may be spared in days to come the painful experiences of these times. It would indeed be a lamentable spectacle if the war that was begun to save Servia from Austria, ended by yielding Constantinople to Russia. We ourselves trust that it will yet be possible to make some arrangement by which the Turks will remain in possession of Constantinople under certain guarantees.

THE VISIT OF THE MEMBER FOR COMMERCE.

The Honourable the Member for Commerce and Industry is once more in our midst and we dare say, will be able to compare notes as to the condition of our trade and industries with the two local Chambers. The altered state of affairs as it exists to-day from what it was three months ago will be self-evident to him, notably in the matter of cotton. He will be agreeably surprised to witness the more optimistic condition of the market in this staple commodity prevailing at this moment, and be able to contrast it with the dolorous condition which was so dismally pictured by the nervous cotton lords in October last. Perhaps he will take the pains to ascertain, from those lugubrious gentlemen, who, in a state of nervous alarm, rushed to Simla, how the cotton cultivators are doing,—those unlucky wights who, in their imagination had conjured a state of ruin if the wonderful panacea their foresight and experience had devised were not accepted. Mr. Clark will also be able to ascertain from the same Cassandras that the old stocks of the raw material have almost disappeared and how the dealers have fared during the last three months. And what about the new crop of cotton? Is it held back by the ryots, or the intermediaries, or is it daily coming to the port to be disposed of as soon as arrived? Next, it may be interesting to inquire what have been the profits realised by this identical clique and why they are at this moment rigging the market for new Broach, which, before the recent holidays, was quoted at Rs. 170? Are there in the cotton growing districts any signs of ruin and desolation among the growers? Has Mr. Curtis made his official tour there and reported to his Government the actual conditions? And will some leading millowner, etc., inform him as to the working of the cotton mills, the stocks of yarn and cloth on hand. Perhaps, he will be able to say that, without even once invoking the aid of Government, the mills have pursued the even tenor of their way without murmur. Lastly, what about Mr. Howard's report? Is the Member for Commerce still incubating on it? Or is the Government of India racking its brains to solve the problem presented to it in September last? All these questions and many others will no doubt suggest themselves to the Member for Commerce and Industry. Let us hope he will be able to solve them all and go away rejoicing that there are now no more problems to ruffle the equanimity of his Government.

Notes of the Day

The Place of the Large Warship.

In the course of an article in the current number of the "Cornhill Magazine" on "Naval Warfare To-day," Admiral Sir E. H. Seymour indicates the changed conditions of the present day naval warfare, and differs in view from Admiral Sir Percy Scott that the knell of the large ship has actually sounded. At the same time, Sir E. H. Seymour admits that its proportional value in deciding the result of a naval war is infinitely less than it used to be and cites the well-known utterance of Nelson who once said that "want of frigates would be found written on his heart." Much has been said in derision of the skulking of the German Navy in its canal and harbours, but Sir E. H. Seymour points out that while their fleet is unequal to meeting ours in an open fight at sea, they are nevertheless making the most of what they can do (in a negative way) by controlling Russian action in the Baltic and preventing Russia moving her troops by sea,—and (in the positive way) by occasional raids on British ships and coast towns with the help of long misty nights. Though English sailors are longing for a modern Trafalgar, Sir E. H. Seymour is of opinion that unless the Kaiser orders his fleet out as Napoleon ordered Admiral Villeneuve out to encounter Nelson, "we shall not have the desired opportunity."

Superior British Gunnery.

As regards our own fleet's action in the Channel and the immediate effect of its presence on British Trade, Sir E. H. Seymour points out with considerable fervour that

"without doubt they are doing both what they should do, and all that they can at present do: all that they should do, because they are holding themselves in instant readiness in case the German fleet should venture out, and all that they can at present do, because they are keeping our enemy's fleet in their ports; they are safeguarding our sea-borne commerce, enabling us safely and confidently to bring troops from overseas as if no war existed, ensuring our crossing to France and Belgium almost as in actual peace-time, and keeping the price of our food down to its normal rates.

Admiral Seymour has a good word to say for Germany's naval personnel and says that their discipline and training are very good. Their courage no one doubts, and their submarines have already done some excellent service, that any nation might be proud of. "Ship for ship I believe they would be equal to any foreign vessels; but I consider our ships' gunnery is generally speaking superior to theirs."

Russia's Part in The War.

The December number of "Nash's Magazine" contains a very vivid and well-informed article on "Russia's Part in The War" by Mr. Dennis Garston, who, writing from experience gained by extensive study and travels, speaks of affairs Russian with considerable authority. The Russians are a peace-loving nation who have been roused to war by the call of the Slavs, says Mr. Garston, and they are fighting for an ideal and no reverses can affect their faith in it.

"Barbarians in the eyes of the world, they were the only nation that was never plunged into a European war except when attacked, or, as in '77 to defend their brother Slavs. Then again, the Government had a different motive for war, but the call of the Slav alone moved the masses.

Potential marauders, they stayed within their frontiers, acquiring land by colonisation and leaving civilisation to lay waste the rest of Europe in ceaseless warfare.

"If culture and refinement cannot be purchased without eternal war," said a Russian once, "I shall continue to be a savage Slav, and scandalise you by picking my teeth at meals."

In conclusion Mr. Garston examines in detail how, for want of a port, Russia has been severely handicapped in expanding her vast resources and lays considerable stress on the justice of her demand for it, and says "that war or winter shall not be able to close, a valve for all those resources and energies which demand an outlet, a safety valve for the peace of Europe."

Herr Ballin and Naval Blockade.

It is in the fitness of things that Herr Ballin, who is the Managing Director of the Hamburg-Amerika, which is Germany's greatest steamship line, and a bosom-friend of the Kaiser, should take exception to the blockade by the British Fleet. Owing to this blockade the Hamburg-Amerika ships, which were the pride of the Fatherland, are now rotting in the docks at New York. They are also unsaleable, and so are a dead burden to the Company. Her Ballin now expands himself in the New York "Sun" and avers that a complete blockade of the German coast is impossible as some of the German ships are already trading in the German North Sea and the Baltic. Then, where is the necessity for so much lament? Of course, the motive is purely philanthropic. According to him, "What the Fleet is undertaking now is nothing less than a blockade of the Atlantic Ocean for the purpose of paralysing the shipping of neutral States in America and Europe." The English battleships are patrolling the Atlantic Ocean and make it impossible for any contraband to reach German hands, and the British High Seas Fleet is searching ships going to the neutral States of Europe.

United States Wronged.

It will be seen thus that Herr Ballin's anxiety is not for himself but for the neutral States, and especially the United States. He is thus supplementing the work done by his other colleagues,—for instance, the German professors in the different American universities and Herr Dernberg, who has recently informed a quaking world of Germany's War Lord's terms of peace, which are very moderate indeed,—of creating a quarrel between the United States and Great Britain. Herr Ballin's anxiety on behalf of the neutrals is too obvious, however, when he continues, that a country like Germany which is economically *independent* cannot suffer much if neutral countries are stopped from trading with her, but it is really they who suffer, and not Germany, "Therefore it is up to them to permit or forbid that England closes the ocean, controls trade, and tyrannises their intercourse to suit herself." America is too busy picking up the orders which the absence and collapse of German trade has thrown in her way to mind these vapourings, and already it is estimated that she will benefit to the extent of securing £100 millions worth of new business. Germany, on the other hand, is cut off from all raw material which she now so urgently requires for her struggles.

The Late Lieut. the Hon. E. Hardinge.

A melancholy interest attaches to the following testimony to the heroism of the late Lieut. Hardinge, borne by Lance-Corporal E. Eade, 15th Hussars, in a letter which finds publication in the London "Daily Chronicle."

I see that my troop officer, the Hon. E. E. Hardinge, has appeared in the papers for the D.S.O., which he undoubtedly deserved. It is a pity he should have been so severely wounded so early in the campaign, for I am sure that had he escaped unhurt he would have earned the V. C. ten times over by now. I was with him the whole time, he himself specially picking me, with two others, to go out with him to try to discover the Germans' line of advance.

He told us before we started that it was a very dangerous enterprise, but if we succeeded,—which we did,—our services would be fully recognised, as both Lieut.-General —and General—reckoned that it was a thousand to one against the four of us getting through without mishap.

We managed to get through unhurt after 48 hours without any rest whatsoever.

It was without doubt the most nerve-racking experience, and I hope it will never recur; although if duty required, and such a gallant, inspiring officer as Lieut. Hardinge wished it, I would willingly go with him.

Lieut. Hardinge, it will be recalled, was granted the D.S.O., "for ability and gallantry in reconnaissance under great difficulty and machine-gun fire."

Fogs to be Abolished.

Fogs which are the bane of all fruit growers and vegetable gardeners whether in India, or elsewhere, are now to be abolished according to the well-known French meteorologist M. Georges Onofrio. M. Onofrio works with the Lyons Municipality, and owing to the havoc played by the fogs there, they have set aside a certain sum annually for research work to combat this evil. He thinks, that pouring oil on the surface of rivers and all reservoirs of water within the fog area should prevent the rising of vapour which cause the fogs. He has arrived at this conclusion after a great deal of observation and experiments. The experiments which he has made, however, were on a small scale in a long vat wherein hot water flowed and the steam constantly rose. With the introduction of tow, moistened with a small quantity of oil, the vapor was at once stopped. M. Onofrio thinks that a coating of oil of the thickness of 0.039 inch is sufficient to cause the disappearance of vapour from boiling water, and consequently for cold water as contained in rivers, tanks, etc. the quantity of oil required would be still less. He estimates that about 4/5ths of a gallon would be necessary to cover a water-surface of more than half-a-million square yards, and an animal or vegetable oil is preferable to a mineral oil. He think that Lyons could be kept free of fogs for the trifling daily cost of £6 which is not very much after all.

A Bengali Volunteer.

The public will be interested to know that, after prolonged agitation, the services of one non-professional Bengali lvolunteer have been accepted by the Government of India. The fortunate gentleman is Mr. S. N. Basu of Calcutta, a nephew of the Hon. Mr. Bhupendranath Basu and late Secretary and Captain of the well-known Mohan Bagan Team which won the I.F.A. Shield Tournament of Calcutta in 1911. Mr. Basu, who is an all-round athelete, had just returned from a tour in the Himalayas. He sailed with his own motor car with Captain Graham per s.s. Takada on Monday night.

Official and Personal.

The services of Captain G. D. O'Gilvie, of the Political Department, have been placed at the disposal of the Army Department vice Lieutenant-Colonel H. F. Cooke, additional Assistant Secretary.

Sir Benjamin Robertson, the Chief Commissioner of the Central Provinces, arrived at Nagpur at the end of the week on completion of his tour in Jubulpore and Damoh districts. His Honour will preside at the next meeting of the Central Provinces Legislative Council which takes place on Monday, 11th instant.

CALLED TO THE BAR.

NEW INDIAN AND CEYLONESE SUCCESSES.

Among the gentlemen called to the Bar last month were the following:—Lincoln's Inn.—Mohamed Wahed-Uddin Hyder, Oxford University; Sahijram Bulchand Alimchandani; Dwarka Das, Jesus College, Cambridge, B.A.; Chunilal Harcharndas Puri, University College, London; Syad Mohammad Sami Ahmad; Chaman Lal Gulati; T. M. S. O. Mahendran (Advocate of the Supreme Court, Ceylon); Narhar Mahadeo Patvardhan, Bombay University, B.A., LL.B., a Vakil of the High Court of Bombay. Middle Temple.—Mohamed Abdul Hamid; Syed Abdul Majid, B.A., Oxon.; Bansi Dhar Kapoor, B.Sc., Edinburgh; Shah Muhammad Naimutullah; Rangi Lal Kapur; Abdul Majid Hussanally; Abdul Hamid Hussanally; Padmanabha Raman Pillay, B.A., Madras, B.Sc., Edinburgh; Amarendra Nath Sen, B.A., Hons., Calcutta. Gray's Inn.—Saized Abu Ali; J. H. Vanniasinkam, **member of the Ceylon Bar.**

GALLANT QUEENS' FIGHT TO DEATH.

ONLY NINE LEFT TO TELL THE STORY

BATTALION REDUCED FROM 1,000 TO 50.

Few regiments have suffered greater losses than the 1st Queen's. Of the thousand odd men who entrained for France on August 12 there remained on the evening of October 31 only 50. How the gallant regiment fought against fearful odds is told in "The Daily Chronicle" by Sergeant Hudson who belongs to the regiment. He writes:—

Thursday, September 17, was the first of our black days. We were in the trenches with the Zouaves on our right, and we had to stick a most terrific onslaught of the enemy. The Zouaves indeed were broken and retired, leaving the Queen's to bear the brunt.

We stuck it to a man, and in spite of the overwhelming numbers of the Germans held the position and enabled the Zouaves to return and to reform the line. We lost many officers, including Lieut.-Colonel Warren and the adjutant, Captain Wilson. The former had been sniping all day from a hay-stack, and had come down from his perch when an enemy's sniper shot him right through the heart.

In this action we lost between three and four hundred men.

In the evening we received the following message from Major-General Lomax:—

Bravo, the Queen's! I compliment you on your splendid defence.

Captain C. F. Watson, D.S.O., was given the brevet of major, in recognition of his services in leading us after the death of the colonel and the wounding of the second in command.

Later we were visited by Sir Douglas Haig, who also complimented the battalion on its splendid behaviour. Afterwards we were used as supports, and later were sent to the rear for a rest. The village where we were sent to was infested with spies, and one could not even exercise the horses without being fired upon. Lieut.-Colonel Pillean having died from wounds, our third commanding officer, Lieut.-Colonel Pell, took us over here.

We left the Aisne for Belgium on October 19, and on arrival had to go at once to support the Belgians, who were in danger from a furious German attack. We were fighting on and off until the last week in October, when we went up to Ypres, where we at once entered the firing line.

"ALL THAT WERE LEFT."

October 31 will always be remembered in the regiment. How it happened few seem to know. I can only tell what I saw.

The regiment was in the trenches, and as usual I went up in the evening with the cookers. We arrived at some cross-roads, where we came upon Major Watson, D.S.O., Lieut. Boyd, a sergeant, a corporal, and 5 men, who told us they were all that were left of the Queens.

They seemed to have no very clear idea of what had happened. According to one of the men—a signaller—it seems that after sustaining the brunt of a particularly furious German attack the Queens suddenly awoke to the fact that the remainder of the division had retired, leaving them cut off. They were practically ringed in by the enemy and were enfiladed on both flanks and in the front by machine guns.

The Queens stuck it, and put up a splendid fight against a vastly superior force. Men were falling on every hand, but they could not break the ring.

Lieut.-Col. Pell was wounded, and in an attempt to save him our sergeant-major was also wounded. The men who were left resisted to the last. Some of them managed to escape through an unprotected hedge, and they were those that we met. Of the fate of the others little seemed to be known, and although our losses must have been enormous, numbers, we know, were taken prisoners.

That night all we could manage to muster of the 737 officers and men of the battalion who began that morning was 50 men, including employed men such as transport and cooks.

AMERICAN LABOUR LAW.

A BRITISH PROTEST.

According to a Washington correspondent general interest is being taken in diplomatic circles there in the reported action of Great Britain in calling the attention of the State Department to the new Arizona State law requiring that 80 per cent. of the employees in Arizona industries should be American citizens.

The law is directed principally against Oriental labour employed in railway construction, mines, etc., but it also affects many British residents. Great Britain's action is absolutely informal, and does not amount to a formal protest.

The Italian Ambassador has filed a protest against the Arizona State law similar to that already made by the British Ambassador. He said that the law was in direct contravention of the treaty signed between Italy, Great Britain, and the United States guaranteeing citizens of those nations the same rights for employment and travel as the citizens of the United States.

SAVED BY HIS HORSE.

Trooper W. Green, lying wounded at York, tells the following story:—"There's a horse of the Royal Irish Lancers that ought to have a Victoria Cross if ever anybody ought. One day in a hot action its rider was sent to earth with a bullet wound between his ribs. The troops was charging at the time, but as the man touched the ground his horse, which had got out of the ranks, picked him up in its mouth by his clothes and carried him to some men of the regiment who were resting their horses while awaiting orders. He will pull through all right, but the doctor said that had he been forced to lie there all night he would have been dead in the morning."

THE WAR

SUMMARY OF TELEGRAMS.

GERMAN SEAPORT BOMBARDED.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR DISABLED.

MARKED PROGRESS IN UPPER ALSACE.

TURKS ROUTED IN TRANS-CAUCASIA.

On Dec. 15 the battleship Goliath and the cruiser Fox bombarded Dar-es-Salaam, doing considerable damage. All the enemy's ships in the harbour were entirely disabled.

The French have carried the entire village of Steinbach and made marked progress in the region of Perthes, where several points d'appui had been seized. There has been violent cannonading on the Aisne and in Champagne.

The Russians have had an important success at Ardhan in Trans-Caucasia, completely routing the Turks. The battle around Sarykamysh continues with the greatest desperation.

Advices from Constantinople state the Anti-German movement is increasing and that many German families are leaving the city. General Von der Goltz's Mission is generally regarded as doomed to failure.

The recent Turkish assertion that a Turkish warship sank two mine-layers in the Black Sea is denied at Petrograd.

The Persian Government has protested to the Turkish Ambassador at Teheran about the outrages committed by Turkish troops in Persian territory.

The German auxillary cruiser Kronprinz Wilhem has sunk the British steamer Bellevue and three French ships.

A pathetic account of the last moments of the Formidable is given by survivors, the ill-fated ship being struck just as New Year's morn had been ushered in with the customary bell-ringing ceremonial.

The Stock Exchange has been re-opened and various new regulations have been introduced.

"THE BOHEMIANS" IN BOMBAY.

"The Bohemians," a comedy company which promises to provide an entertainment well above the class usually given in India by touring companies, open at the Excelsior Theatre, Bombay next week. The company is assisted by Mr. Philip Newbury, a tenor who has sung at the Queen's Hall concerts in London where, according to the "Musical Courier" "the pure tenor voice is so rare that the re-appearance in London is doubly welcome." Mr. Newbury's repertoire ranges from the Mozart aria to "Sally in Our Alley." "The Bohemians" number six, and are presented by Mr. James F. Younge in conjunction with Messrs. Holborn and Knight. They present a programme which ranges from operatic excerpts to the lightest musical comedy.

BOMBARDMENT OF DAR-ES-SALAAM.

MARKED PROGRESS IN UPPER ALSACE.

DAR-ES-SALAAM BOMBARDED.

CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE.

ALL SHIPS IN HARBOUR ENTIRELY DISABLED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS).

NAIROBI, Jan. 5.

On December 15th, H. M. battleship Goliath and cruiser Fox bombarded Dar-es-salaam, doing considerable damage.

All the enemy's ships in the harbour were entirely disabled and fourteen Europeans and twenty natives were captured.

The British losses were one killed and twelve wounded.

Dar-es-Salaam is a seaport of German East Africa, 45 miles of Zanzibar. Population 21,000.

The Goliath is a battleship of 12,950 tons with a speed of 18.2 knots. Her armament consists of four 12in., twelve 6in. and 3 quick-firers; six 3in. pounders, two machine guns and four submerged torpedo tubes. She was launched in 1896 and has a complement of 750.

The Fox is a light cruiser of 4,360 tons with a speed of 19.5 knots. She has two 6in. and eight 4.7in. quick-firers, eight 6 pounders and one 3 pounders. Her complement in 318.

NEW YEAR MESSAGES.

POPE'S PRAYER FOR PEACE.

MIKADO AND "LITTLE MONTENEGRO."

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS).

LONDON, Jan. 4.

The following New Year messages have been received by the "Daily Chronicle."

From the Mikado.—"May New Year bring still greater prosperity to the British nation."

From the Pope.—"The Father of all the Faithful alike weeps over the war. Being unable to stop it, he is doing all in his power to lighten the grievous consequences for unhappy prisoners and desolated families. Meanwhile he lifts up his present prayers to our common Redeemer Jesus Christ, the Prince of Peace, to the end that He may inspire the governments of the belligerent nations with feelings of Christian charity that will at last put an end to this frightful war, which is desolating humanity. The Press of every land ought to give mighty support to this holy mission of peace."

From the King of Montenegro.—"Little Montenegro is glad to share the common war with the mighty noble English nation."

CONTRABAND COPPER.

THE EMBARGO ON RUBBER.

WASHINGTON, Jan 4.

The British Embassy has notified the Government that copper shipped before the metal was declared contraband would, if seized, be paid for or released.

No cargoes destined for Italy have been detained at Gibraltar since December 4th.

Negotiations are proceeding in London to remove the embargo on rubber.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

A decree is published in the "London Gazette" prohibiting the export of clover, grasseeds and motors of all kinds to European ports except those of the Allies and Spain and Portugal and of fishoils anywhere.

EXCHANGE OF INVALID PRISONERS.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 5.

Geneva has been selected as a central point for exchange of invalid prisoners of war. The first transfers are expected shortly.

U. S. SHIP PURCHASE BILL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 5.

During a discussion in the Senate on the Administration's Ship Purchase Bill which will involve Government in shipping business Senators Lodge and Root vigorously opposed the bill as the grossest form of subsidy, especially at the present time when the Government's good faith might be questioned if it transpired that the goods were destined for the belligerents.

STEINBACH ENTIRELY CARRIED.

VIOLENT FIGHTING IN ALSACE.

LOST POSITION RECAPTURED.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS).

LONDON, Jan. 5.

Last night's Paris communiqué said:—Very violent fighting has occurred in Upper Alsace in the region of Cernay.

The French last night lost and then recaptured the neighbourhood of the church at Steinbach and this morning they carried the entire village.

The French troops lost for a short time the German works which they had captured west of Cernay but the Germans were unable to hold their ground and the position remains in the hands of the French.

MARKED PROGRESS BY FRENCH.

SUPERIORITY OF ALLIES' ARTILLERY.

PARIS, Jan. 4.

This afternoon's communiqué says:

French progress in upper Alsace is again marked. We yesterday occupied the neighbourhood of the church at Steinbach and the cemetery. We also, in the region of Perthes, seized several points d'appui.

There have been intermittent cannonades from Argonne to the Meuse and on the heights of the Meuse.

Our troops unsuccessfully attempted to carry Boureuilles.

Our progress continued at Bois-le-pretre.

We carried important heights westward of Cernay and repulsed a counter-attack. From the sea to the Oise quiet prevailed. The weather was wet. There were some artillery duels. Our heavy guns opposite Noulettes silenced the German batteries.

There has been particularly violent cannonading on the Aisne and in Champagne. Our batteries maintained their superiority and shelled the enemey's reserves violently.

CAPTURE OF STEINBACH.

CONFIRMED AT BERLIN.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 4.

A Berlin communiqué admits that the French have taken Steinbach in spite of the severe German resistance.

STOCK EXCHANGE REOPENS.

NEW REGULATIONS INTRODUCED.

LONDON, Jan. 4.

The Stock Exchange re-opened to-day. There was a large attendance. Various new regulations were introduced, one providing that clients must in future give full details of each deal. Business in most departments was nominal.

LIQUIDATION OF FOURTEEN FIRMS.

LONDON, Jan. 4.

The accounts of fourteen unnamed Stock Exchange firms are in the Committee's hands for liquidation. Meanwhile they are debarred from entering into fresh business.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

Transactions on the Stock Exchange numbered nearly a thousand in 370 securities. The remarkable feature was that buyers were more numerous than sellers in the absence of pressure for selling.

BRITISH CASUALTY LIST.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

The following casualties are announced:—

DIED OF WOUNDS.

Captain R. N. Phillips, Welsh Fusiliers.

WOUNDED.

Lieut. H. Meredith, North Staffs.

UNOFFICIALLY REPORTED PRISONERS.

Captain W. Payne-Gallwey, Grenadiers.

Lieut. W. Stapleton-Bretherton, Royal Fusiliers.

Lieut.-Colonel D. Boger, Cheshires.

IMPORTANT RUSSIAN SUCCESS.

TURKS COMPLETELY ROUTED.

ENEMY'S ENORMOUS LOSSES.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS).

PETROGRAD, Jan. 5.

The Russians have had an important success at Ardahan in Trans-Caucasia, completely routing the Turks.

A Turkish communiqué asserts that Ardahan has been captured after a sanguinary battle.

LATER.

It is officially stated that the battle round Sarykamysh continues with the greatest desperation.

The Turks have suffered enormous losses.

OUTRAGE BY TURKISH TROOPS.

PROTEST BY PERSIA.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4.

A telegram from Teheran states that Turkish and Persian Kurds assisted by Turkish regulars have been most active in the region south of Lake Urumia, and have arrested Persian Customs officials one of whom they shot.

The Persian Government has protested to the Turkish Ambassador.

Lake Urumia is in the Persian Province of Azerbijan.

ALLEGED TURKISH NAVAL SUCCESS.

DENIAL BY RUSSIA.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 4.

A communique denies the recent Turkish assertion that a Turkish warship attacked the Russian Fleet and sank two mine-layers in the Black Sea.

The communique adds that the so-called battle was only the movements of the Breslau which has often been sighted, but has always escaped owing to her superior speed.

RUSSIANS PROGRESSING IN GALICIA.

DESPERATE FIGHTING WITH GERMANS.

PETROGRAD, Jan. 5.

A communiqué says:—Throughout the 3rd. January there was no important change left of the Vistula.

Desperate fighting occurred during the night of the 2nd, in the Bolimoff region where the Germans forced one of the Russian trenches but they were immediately dislodged.

The Germans abandoned six guns and a number of prisoners.

The Russians made further progress in Galicia, capturing over a thousand prisoners. The Russians have captured members of the staff and documents of the Austrain column.

JAPAN AND KIAOCHAU.

NOT COMMITTED AS TO FUTURE OF THE COLONY.

According to a Tokio message dated December 9, the first interpellations in the new session of the Japanese Diet referred to the subject of the return of Kiao Chau to China.

The Opposition asked whether Kia Chau would be returned, whether the Government was pledged to China or any other Power in the matter of the final disposal of the territory, and whether the clause in the Japanese ultimatum to Germany referring to the final restitution of Kiao Chau to China, did not bind the action of Japan.

Baron Kato, the Minister for Foreign Affairs, replied that the question regarding the future disposal of Kiachau could not at present be answered, but it could be definitely stated that Japan had never committed herself to any foreign Power on this point.

"The purpose of the ultimatum," he continued, "was to take Kiaochau from Germany and so restore peace in the Orient. The restitution of Kiaochau after a campaign was not thought of, nor was it referred to in the ultimatum."

TURKEY WAKING UP.

ANTI-GERMAN MOVEMENT INCREASING.

GOLTZ'S MISSION DOOMED TO FAILURE.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

LONDON, Jan. 4.

According to advices received in Paris from Constantinople recent events have severely thinned the ranks of the partisans of Germany. The anti-German movement is increasing.

Many German families are leaving Constantinople.

General von der Goltz's mission is generally regarded as doomed to failure.

TURKISH LOAN AUTHORISED.

MORATORIUM REGULATIONS.

AMSTERDAM, Jan. 4.

A telegram from Constantinople states that the Government has submitted a Bill to the Chamber authorising the conclusion of a six per cent. loan of five million pounds.

The Chamber carried the Bill, prolonging the moratorium till April 13th. But debtors are obliged to pay five per cent of their debts to-day, and a further five per cent. on February 14.

The Government also submitted a Bill exempting soldiers from the payment of their debts till after the war.

CHINESE CUSTOMS RECEIPTS.

PEKING, Jan. 5.

The total receipts from maritime customs in 1914 amounted to 5,409,184 sterling, as compared with 6,708,489 in 1913. All foreign obligations secured on the customs have been fully met to December 31st last.

COTTON TRADE.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

The Master Cotton Spinners' Federation and the operatives have reached a new agreement. Notices will not be tendered in any mill until the matter under dispute has been considered by joint committees of local and central oragnisations.

LATEST CABLES.

(Received after 2 a.m.)

GERMANY'S VIOLATION OF TREATIES.

MR. ROOSEVELT ON U. S. GOVERNMENT'S ACQUIESCENCE.

(REUTER'S SPECIAL WAR SERVICE.)

NEW YORK, Jan. 5.

Mr. Roosevelt in a magazine article vigorously criticises the acquiescence of the American Government in the wrong done to Belgium.

Germany's violation of treaties, he says, is the gravest kind of international wrongdoing but it is less contemptible than tame acquiescence.

GERMANY'S FOOD SUPPLY.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

The "Frankfurter Zeitung" says that the Prussian Government has decided on the foundation of a company with a large capital to acquire large stocks of corn and store them till the middle of May, before which no sales can occur. The motive is that although the last harvest, with economy, will meet requirements, there will be critical months before the gathering of the 1915 harvest.

The Board consists of representatives of the State and industrial magnates and the company enjoys the power of expropriation.

N. C. O.'S PROMOTED.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

The "London Gazette" announces that commissions have been given to thirty non-commissioned officers for services in the field.

LAST MOMENTS OF THE FORMIDABLE.

A FATEFUL NEW YEAR.

COOLNESS OF THE CAPTAIN.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS).

LONDON, Jan. 4.

Stories of survivors of the Formidable show that shortly before the vessel was struck, sixteen bells and the rattling of tin-cans heralded the New Year.

Most of the men were asleep when the explosion occurred. They soon realised that it was something serious as the captain ordered the boats out. This was only possible on the starboard side owing to the list.

When the survivors left they saw men on the quarter-deck mostly smoking. The captain was on the bridge with a cigarette in his mouth.

The last words they heard the Captain say were:—"Steady, men! It's all right. No panic. Keep cool and be British. There's tons of life left in the old ship yet." The Captain's terrier was standing by his side.

As the ship disappeared one marine was blown twenty feet in air. He fell in the water and was rescued.

CHRISTMAS IN NORTH SEA.

WAITING FOR GERMANS.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

Admiral Sir John Jellicoe writing to his brother says:—

"We spent Christmas Day waiting for the Germans who did not appear; but we managed to find time for church, although the whole time we were cleared for action. All men were at the guns."

GERMAN SEA ROVER.

FOUR SHIPS SUNK.

LONDON, Jan. 5.

The German steamer Otavs has arrived at Las Palmas having aboard 93 sailors belonging to the British steamer Bellevue and three French ships sunk by the Kronprinz Wilhelm.

Las Palmas is a town of Canary Islands in North Atlantic.

The Kronprinz Wilhem is an auxiliary cruiser of 15,000 tons with a speed of 23.4 knots.

The Bellevue had a displacement of 2,459 net tons. She was owned by Messrs. Bell Bros. & Co.

HEAVY FLOODS IN THAMES.

MAIDENHEAD IN DANGER.

LONDON, Jan. 4.

After the wettest winter on record the floods in the Thames are assuming alarming proportions. An Emergency Committee has been formed at Maidenhead to consider the serious position of the town which is threatened by the collapse of a dam.

HOUSE OF LORDS.

INTERESTING STATEMENTS EXPECTED

LONDON, Jan. 4.

The Lords meet on Wednesday for a two-day session. Interesting statements with regard to the war are expected.

THE BATJAN REFLOATED.

LONDON, Jan. 4.

The Batjan has arrived at Gravesend.

GERMANY'S LOST LEGIONS.

NEARLY A MILLION PRUSSIAN AND BAVARIAN LOSSES.

According to a Copenhagen message dated December 6, the 96th, 97th, 98th, and 99th German casualty lists contain respectively the names of 5,910, 6,919, 5,501, and 4,271 killed, wounded, and missing officers and men, a total of 22,601, bringing the total of the Prussian losses during the war up to 714,835.

This total does not include 73 Saxon, 75 Wurttemberg, and 115 Bavarian lists.

The heavy losses sustained by eventeen Bavarian regiments during the heavy fighting in August have now been made public and are obtainable by families concerned. They bring the total Bavarian losses up to about 200,000. Owing to the terrible impression caused by these lists the newspapers have not been allowed to punish them since December 1, and applicants to see the lists at the public offices have to show that they have relatives at the front.

So far the published German losses on the Fer amount to 30,000 officers and men killed, wounded, or missing.

GOVERNOR'S TOUR.

BOMBAY TO DARJEELING.

VARIOUS PLACES OF INTEREST VISITED.

(From our Correspondent.)

Their Excellencies Lord and Lady Willingdon return to Bombay this morning after a rapid but comprehensive tour in the course of which they have traversed India from Bombay to Calcutta and from Calcutta to the Himalayas, visiting on the return journey the headquarter towns of the districts of East and West Khandesh and various places of interest on the route.

Starting from Bombay on the afternoon of the 22nd December they arrived at Howrah station on the morning of the 24th and spent Christmas Day and the following day as guests of their Excellencies Lord and Lady Carmichael at Government House, Calcutta.

During the course of this visit they twice attended the Calcutta Race meeting and witnessed the races for the King-Emperor's Cup and the Viceroy's Cup on the 24th and 26th December. On Christmas Day their Excellencies attended Divine Service at the Cathedral and later drove through the Botanical Gardens. They left Calcutta on the afternoon of the 26th by motor for Barrackpore where they were also entertained by their Excellencies Lord and Lady Carmichael, returning to Calcutta on Monday morning by steamer. They then visited the buildings of the Victoria Memorial now in progress, the Museum and Belvedere, the former residence of the Lieut.-Governor of Bengal.

Leaving Calcutta at 4-15 p.m. on the 28th their Excellencies arrived at Darjeeling at 1 p.m. next day. The following day the weather conditions being fortunately favourable magnificent views were obtained of the snows of the Kinchinjunga Range and Mount Everest.

RETURN JOURNEY.

Their Excellencies entrained the following day for the return journey. On the 31st December they were received by his Honour Sir Charles and Lady Bayley at Bankipore and spent a short time at Government House, Bankipore. On continuing the journey a visit was paid on January 1st to the famous marble rocks on the Narbudda river, near Jubbulpore. On January 2nd their Excellencies made a public arrival at Jalgaon, the head quarters of the East Khandesh District where they were received by the Collector, Mr. Otto Rothfeld, I.C.S., the district officials and the leading citizens of Jalgaon. The morning was spent in visiting the Mulji Jetha Mills, the Civil Hospital, the High School and other public institutions. At 12 noon His Excellency received and replied to an address from the President and members of the District Local Board at the Collector's Kacheri. Their Excellencies were entertained to luncheon by Mr. and Mrs. Rothfeld and after receiving visits progressed to the Lamington Hall where an address was presented to his Excellency by the Jalgaon Municipality.

VISIT TO AJANTA CAVES.

On the following day an excursion was made to the Ajanta Caves, famous for their unique remains of early Indian Buddhist and Brahmanical art. On January 4th their Excellencies arrived at Dhulia and were received on their arrival by Khan Bahadur S. S. Kadri, Collector of West Khandesh, and the officials and leading residents of the district. Visits were paid to the Civil Hospital, High School, Technical School, Jail and Orphanage in the course of the morning. In the afternoon his Excellency visited the Pinjrapole and Government Farm, while her Excellency received the local committee of the Women's Branch of the War Relief Fund and other ladies of the district. After tea at the Collector's bungalow a rendering was given in the original Greek by Mr. Siotis, of Messrs. Ralli Brothers, of the hymn to Calliope by the Cretan Musician Mesamedes, arranged and adopted to modern notation from a Florentine manuscript and accompanied by Mr. Clements, I.C.S., District and Sessions Judge. At 5-30 p.m., their Excellencies were conducted to the Municipal Hall where an address was presented by the President and Councillors of the Municipality to which his Excellency responded.

ANTIQUITIES OF ELLORA.

On the 5th instant the Ellora Caves in the territory of his Highness the Nizam of Hyderabad were visited. Their Excellencies were received by the officers of his Highness Government and after an inspection of the ancient fort of Daulatabad and luncheon at Roza as guests of his Highness, spent hours in examining the antiquities of Ellora. The arrangements for this most interesting and pleasant execursion were by the courtesy of his Highness the Nizam, admirably carried out by the officers of the Hyderabad Government.

This concluded the tour and their Excellencies who were accompanied by Mr. J. Crerar, I.C.S., Private Secretary, Major J. G. Greig, C.I.E., Military Secretary, and Captain K. O. Goldie, A.D.C., arrive in Bombay this morning.

VISIT TO THE JALGAON MILLS.

(From a Correspondent.)

Their Excellencies the Governor and Lady Willingdon paid a visit to the Khandeish Spinning and Manufacturing Company's Mill at Jalgaon on Saturday at 9-15 a.m. Their Excellencies were received at the entrance of the Mill by Seth Chatrabhuj Gordhandass and Mr. Lalji Naranji, of Messrs. Moolji Jaitha and Co. A large number of Government officers, pleaders, merchants and leading inhabitants of Jalgaon and neighbouring districts had collected in the premises to welcome their Excellencies. Their Excellencies were taken over the several departments of the Mill in which they evinced keen interest. On their Excellencies taking seats on the platform of a specially erected mandap, Mr. Lalji Naranji read an address heartily welcoming their Excellencies to the Mill, which, Mr. Lalji explained was established in 1874. The Mill contains 91,268 spindles and 422 looms. The daily average number of hands employed is 1,299.

It was announced at the gathering that in honour of their Excellencies' visit the millhands have decided to send 100 chadars manufactured in the Mill to the Women's Branch of the Bombay Presidency War and Relief Fund, organised by her Excellency Lady Willingdon, the cost of which is to be met out of their voluntary contributions.

His Excellency in a few impressive words expressed their Excellencies' delight in all that they saw and appreciated on behalf of her Excellency the spirit which prompted the mill-hands to contribute their mite to the Women's Branch of Bombay Presidency War and Relief Fund.

Their Excellencies were then garlanded by Seth Chatrabhuj Gordhandass and by the head jobbers in the Mill. After the singing of the National Anthem the function terminated.

Photo by B. H. Joshi, Jalgaon.

THEIR EXCELLENCIES THE GOVERNOR AND LADY WILLINGDON'S VISIT TO SETH GORDHANDAS SOONDERDAS HIGH SCHOOL, JALGAON, ON SATURDAY.

AT DHULIA HIGH SCHOOL.

(From a Correspondent.)

On the occasion of Lord and Lady Willingdon's visit to Dhulia on Monday their Excellencies paid a visit to the Garud High School, Dhulia, along with some other institutions of the town. The school premises were decorated with flags and buntings and wore a very gay appearance. Their Excellencies arrived at the school at 10-57 a.m. and spent half an hour there. They were received at the gate by Mr. Dange, the Head Master. Welcome verses in Sanskrit specially composed for the occasion, were sung by some of the boys, after which their Excellencies were shown over the school. They heard with interest some of the class lessons and also made many kind inquiries. The whole school then assembled in the front quadrangle where their Excellencies were saluted by the students and were garlanded by the Head Master. Their Excellencies expressed their entire satisfaction at the working of the school and announced at their departure a handsome donation of Rs. 250 to the boys' library, which has been very popular with them. For this donation the Head Master heartily thanked Their Excellencies. They then wished a happy New Year to the school and drove away amid the enthusiastic cheers of the boys.

DELHI CONSPIRACY CASE.

HEARING OF THE APPEAL.

(Associated Press.)

LAHORE, Jan. 5.

In the Delhi conspiracy case appeals yesterday at the Chief Court, before Justices Johnston and Rattigan, Mr. Nanakchand, counsel for Avadh Behari, first opened the case. He said that his client was convicted on the bare and uncorroborated testimony of the approver Dinanath. There was nothing to connect Avadh Behari with the conspiracy. There was no proof that he wrote and distributed the first "Liberty" leaflets. Avadh Behari was a diligent student who scored second place in B. A. examination and had therefore no time for participation in seditious propaganda. The approver's story, said the counsel, had not been believed in some parts by the Sessions Judge himself. The approver tried to shield his cousin Ramsaran, who admittedly was instrumental in the printing of the leaflets. The counsel next submitted that the story of the bomb being taken by Basant Kumar to Lawrence Garden was highly improbable and not mentioned by the proprietors of the Dispensary where Basant Kumar worked until the police put it to them.

Justice Rattigan asked that in that case why the police did not suggest to them the card box containing the bomb which was more important than the bicycle. The case will last a fortnight or more.

DELHI, Jan. 5.

The hearing of the Delhi Conspiracy Case appeal was resumed to-day before Justices Johnstone and Rattigan.

Mr. Nanackchand, counsel for Abad Behari, continuing his arguments proceeded at length to point out what he said were contradictions and lack of corroboration on material points between the different statements made by the approver Dina Nath before the Deputy Commissioner, Lahore, the Committing Magistrate and the Sessions Judge. Counsel also said that Abad Behari's association in a criminal conspiracy was not proved. Abad Behari was no doubt an associate of Har Dyal but P. W. Chatterji's evidence showed that however queer might Har Dyal's views on education have been they were not criminal. Counsel argued that the letter alleged to be written by Abad Behari advising despatch of a consignment of "Liberty" leaflets from Amir Chand, Delhi, to the approver at Lahore was not produced. As regards the box containing Rash Behari's things being found in his possession, counsel said, Abad Behari put Rash Behari up at the approver's request and Rash Behari was a police spy.

There was some discussion as to the approver's statement before the Deputy Superintendent Rahamatulla.

Mr. Ross Alston explained that Rahamatulla did not take down the approver's statement but made only brief notes which were not shown to the accused as Rahamatulla being dead could not be examined.

Mr. Nanak Chand suggested that the police took a full statement and prepared the statement which the approver made before Mr. Tollinton.

MUSSALMANPARA BOMB CASE.

SIR S. P. SINHA TO REPRESENT THE CROWN.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 5.

On Wednesday the Chief Presidency Magistrate will commence the hearing of the Mussalmanpara Bomb Case in which the accused Nagendra Nath Sen Gupta, a student, was found lying with injuries near the scene where four bombs were thrown which resulted in the death of a head-constable and serious injuries to others. It is understood that Sir S. P. Sinha will represent the Crown.

ALLEGED ATTEMPT ON A VAKIL.

TRIAL AT ALIPORE.

(Associated Press.)

CALCUTTA, Jan. 5.

The Session Judge of Alipore is engaged in hearing the case in which Manindra Nath Ghose is charged with attempting to take the life of Mr. Manmohan Ghose, Vakil of the Calcutta High Court, by shooting him with a revolver. Two associates of the accused were previously tried but acquitted. The accused was then an absconder but subsequently surrendered and was committed to the Sessions. The case is proceeding.

ARRIVAL OF SIKHS AT RANGOON.

(Associated Press.)

RANGOON, Jan. 5.

The steamer Kawachi Maru arrived here yesterday, from the Straits Settlement with over 410 Sikhs, who are on their way to India. No trouble was experienced on their landing by the police, who were on duty at the jetty in large numbers.

Kasagra does not merely relieve constipation temporarily, but, properly used, will cure the trouble by restoring the normal tonicity of the bowels. 180—D16.

WHAT TO GIVE YOUR SOLDIER FRIENDS

For men from the front in hospital at home an excellent present is a light and firm bed table, with a green cloth top, adapted for patience and other card games and for picture puzzles. It should be one that may be arranged at any slope for reading or writing upon.

There is a small oak bed table on a nickel stand that is suitable for holding a meal and that may be adapted for reading or writing. Dressing-gowns of wool or silk, soft slippers, and walking-sticks are a boon.

A donor of comforts for the men at the front says she has made a great success of her parcels, inasmuch as each one has had a towel in it the mission of which has been to keep the contents of the parcel together. Outside she has used strong paper and between the two has sandwiched one yard of khaki flannel to be used as a combined mufffler and helmet.

She has specialised in nightlights and candles, tea tabloids and soup squares, chocolates, soap, writing paper and an indelible pencil, electric torches, and wristlet watches with glow dials. Socks are ever welcome items, and it is an excellent plan to send a small quantity of vaseline and boracic powder with each pair. Wristlets are very welcome, too, and take but little room in a parcel.

TRADING LICENSES FOR TH ENEMY.

The Government of India have issued orders on the applications for Trading License of a number of hostile firms in Bombay. Licenses for purposes of liquidation only have been granted to the following firms:—

Meister Lucius & Bruning, Ltd., Farbenfabriken Bayer & Co., Ltd., Josef Blum. Berlin Aniline Co., Ltd. C. Flor & Co. A. Strandes & Co., The Austrian Lloyd Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., Schlechtendahl & Co., Ltd., C. Hummel, Schroder Smidt & Co., Ltd., and also also to a number of Insurance Agencies. These liquidation licenses empower the firms in question to sue for outstandings and provide for the deposit of all assets with the Controller of Hostile Trading Concerns, which office is filled by Mr. G. S. Hardy, I.C.S.

Orders on other applications are expected shortly.

NEXT SEASON'S CRICKET.

LITTLE PROSPECT OF A COUNTY CHAMPIONSHIP.

At a committee meeting of the Yorkshire County Cricket Club at Sheffield during mail week the opinion was expressed that the action of the M.C.C. in suspending the county secretaries meeting sine die signified that there would be no county cricket next summer, and Lord Hawke, who though president of the club was speaking unofficially, expressed his belief that even if the war should end during the coming spring, it would be impossible to have the championship, with so many essential players still doing service for their country.

He saw Lieutenant R. H. Spooner last week and was glad to find him very much better and cheerful as ever. The shrapnel has not yet been removed from his shoulder.

DESTRUCTION OF EDISON WORKS.

Regarding the destruction by fire Dec. 9 of the vast works established by Mr. Edison at West Orange, New Jersey, it is stated that the inventor's famous laboratory was saved, but twenty buildings were gutted, throwing 4,000 people out of employment.

Mr. Edison had moving pictures of the fire taken as 12,000 people watched it. He says the damage amounts to over £1,000,000 which is less than half covered by insurance. "I am sixty-seven years old," the inventor told the reporters "and this is a great setback, but I shall start afresh immediately and rebuild the factories."

KARACHI MYSTERY.

EUROPEAN SOLDIER FOUND WITH HIS THROAT CUT.

(Associated Press.)

KARACHI, Jan. 5.

Yesterday between the Karachi Cantonment Railway station and the next railway station a European soldier was found on the railway embankment with his throat cut.

THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR OF BURMA.

(Associated Press.)

RANGOON, Jan. 5.

The "Rangoon Times" extends its heartiest welcome to Sir H. Butler and assures him of the heartiest co-operation of all sections in this province. For, the journal continues, "we have no doubt he will bring to the discharge of his duties here that acumen which has distinguished him throughout the whole of his career in India."

LUCKNOW, Jan. 5.

The "Indian Daily Telegraph" says that Sir Harcourt Butler's rise to eminence has been one of the romances of the Service and Burma will now profit under his go-ahead administration.

LAHORE, Jan. 5.

The "Civil and Military Gazette," understands that Sir Harcourt Butler, Lieutenant Governor elect of Burma, intends to remain in Delhi till the end of the Delhi session. It is possible he may take short leave between the end of March and assumption of his new appointment.

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ENTERTAINMENT IN AID OF INDIAN WOUNDED.

An entertainment was given on Tuesday (Dec. 8), at the Grafton Galleries in aid of the wounded Indian troops by the Union of the East and West, says "The Indiaman." A short introductory paper was read by Miss Clarissa Miles, a pianoforte solo was given by Madame Kherla Kinuk, and Mrs. Manu sang some Indian songs. The *piece de resistance* of the entertainment was, however an adaptation from the Hindu epic "Mahabharata" by Mr. K. N. Das Gupta, entitled "Savitri; or, Love Conquers Death," presented by the Indian Art and Dramatic Society, under Mr. William Poel's direction.

GERMANS FOMENTING TROUBLE IN TRIPOLI.

According to Reuter's correspondent at Milan, the Italian Government are preventing the circulation of news from Cyrenaica, fearing to alarm the people, but private reports received describe the situation there as becoming daily graver. Such a point have things reached that even Tripoli, Derna, and Benghazi are being prepared for defence.

The fear is entertained that the Holy War proclaimed by the Sultan is the cause of the uprising among the natives, who may have been induced to make a supreme effort to win over the native troops under the command of the Italians and to free their country from foreign dominion. Indications show that German agitators are fomenting trouble.

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A PAGE FOR THE HOME.

FASHIONS OF TO-DAY.

(From our Correspondent.)

LONDON, Dec. 11.

There are two or three colours that this winter seem altogether to have captured the fancy of fickle remimninity; and these are tete-de-negre, navy blue, and black—this latter nearly always in velvet. The first named shade, makes up much more smartly than its name would indicate and in the course of my fashion wanderings I have "struck" some delightful costumes and frocks made up in the pecular shade that seemed to me to be the last word in distinction. In silk it is very pretty, and with the minimum suggestion of gold in its trimmings makes a striking ensemble. Black velvet only calls for the very simplest lines, but carries a note achieved by few other materials. The "little frock" or costume of navy-blue is an ever-present and faithful friend; and for real utilitaria wear in unsurpassed. A touch of fur in the triminng of the indoor "little frock" is dainty and becoming, besides being a particular favourite of Madame La Mode!

LOVELY RECEPTION GOWN.

A very elegant reception gown is brought to our notice here; and this particular example was made of tete-de-negre velvet and mousseline-de-soie of the same tone. The latter material was utilised to form the corsage and the long graceful tunic; and the taffetas composed the swathed bodice, underskirt, and narrow train. The bodice is rather loose, cut all in one; and the sleeve is on the large and easy side, being finished with frills to fall over the hand. The cut-away points of the swathing, revealing the mousseline underneath, are a feature of the dress. The decolletage is outlined with a narrow band of gauging; and the down-turned points of the otherwise upstanding collar have a very graceful effect.

RUSSIAN BLOUSE FROCK.

Shown in the illustration is a very smart frock made on Russian blouse lines. The material chosen is royal-blue chiffon velours, with collar and cuffs of skunk. The deep hip belt is edged top and bottom by a narrow taffetas frill of the exact shade of the velours. The ornaments down the front of the bodice are handsomely carried out in black braid. The small amount of fur gives an unusually cosy effect to the frock. The sleeves are of quite ordinary size, and set in in the normal position on the shoulders. The frock should not be impossible of achievement by the home dressmaker, for the lines are simple if graceful. The hip belt arrangement is an almost universal feature of present season models, and carries a chic all its own.

A DELIGHTFUL HAT.

A charming little hat for the mademoiselle of seventeen or thereabouts is shown in the sketch below. It is made of black velvet and is trimmed simply in front with a tarnished-gold metal chrysanthemum, which holds in position a back feathery fantaisie. Round the crown is quaintly fixed a band of monkey hair, this particular material being one of the season's novelties. The hat is pulled well down on the head, but not sufficiently so to conceal the hair which is usually the outstanding charm of the young girl. Altogether, a very delightful chapeau, perfectly easy of home manipulation.

EXERCISES TO IMPROVE THE NECK.

The graceful neck may be long or short, but it must be moulded in a circular form, be firm, smooth and well rounded, and it must be trained in beauty.

If "sal-cellars" have formed at the side of the collar-bone, massage with a good skin food will work wonders in achieving plumpness, and of the greatest aid will be a few simple exercises which will benefit the shape of the neck, chest, and shoulders and be of special use when the neck feels weary after sewing or reading or holding it in one position for a lengthy time.

The exercises may be taken sitting or standing, but the neck must be free from the embarrassment of a collar. Slowly bend the head to one side, reaching as near the shoulders as possible. Occupying this position with deliberation, twist the head to a "looking up" position, then raise it erect. Rest a few seconds and do the same on the other side. This should be repeated eight or ten times on each side, being careful to avoid any movement of the shoulders.

After this moisten the tips of the fingers in a good skin food and massage the neck gently for a few minutes, and without wiping off the cream continue the exercises.

For the second exercise lay the head forward as near to the chest as possible,

HOUSEHOLD COOKING.

HADDOCK FRITTERS.

Remove the skin and bones from a good-sized smoked haddock, cut it into pieces about an inch long, dip them into a light beignet or frying batter so as to completely cover each piece with batter. Fry in hot lard or frying fat; the fat must not be too hot, as the fritters will require about ten minutes to cook. When done drain on a paper or cloth, season with salt and paprika or else white pepper. Dish up and serve hot.

CHICKEN LIVER ON TOAST.

Clean, wash, and drain about eight or ten chicken livers, cut them in halves, sprinkle with pepper, then roll each piece of liver in a thin slice of bacon, fasten with a small skewer, and broil over a brisk coal fire. Mix 1 oz of butter with one saltspoonful of mustard and a tiny pinch of cayenne; spread this over eight or ten oval-shaped croutes of fried or toasted bread. Dish these up and place the broiled liver and bacon, with skewer removed, on the bread croutes, brush over each with a little liquid meat glaze, garnish with fresh or fried parsley, and serve quickly.

TOMATO AND SAUSAGE ON CROUTES.

Wipe six to eight large, even-sized tomatoes; these must be ripe and quite firm, Remove the stems cut off the top portion of each, and scoop out some of the pulp without breaking the skin. Skin 12lb of pork sausages, put them in a basin with the tomato pulp, a handful of breadcrumbs, and a little finely-chopped parsley; mix with the yolk of an egg and a little cold stock. Fill the tomatoes with this, sprinkle over with breadcrumbs, and bake in a hot oven for about eighteen minutes. Have ready the same number of sound, fried bread croutes as there are tomatoes, and dish the baked potatoes upon these, garnish with sprigs of parsley, and serve hot. Note: This dish may be prepared overnight and baked in the morning as a breakfast dish.

BEEFSTEAK BALLS.

Scrape finely with a sharp knife half a pound of lean beef (rump steak) so that there is nothing left but the tough fibres. As the meat is scraped, put it into a small mixing basin, and mix with the yolk of an egg and a tiny pinch of salt and pepper. Soak in a little milk two tablespoonfuls of fresh bread-crumbs, and mix this with the beef. Shape into balls, each about the size of a small egg; use a little flour or bread-crumbs in shaping the balls. Melt about 2oz. of clarified butter in a frying fan, put in the meat balls when hot, and fry to a golden brown. Take up the meat balls, drain them well, dish up neatly, and serve with a little thin brown sauce.

COQUILLES OF FISH.

Almost any kind of cold fish can be made up into scallops or coquilles. Free about 12lb. of cold fish from skin and bones, then divide it into small flakes. Melt an ounce of butter in a stewpan, stir in 12oz. of flour and cook a little without browning; then add gradually half-pint of milk, a small blade of mace, and half a small-sliced corrot. Boil up and cook for about fifteen minutes; then season to taste and strain the sauce. Butter a number of clean and dry scallop shells, put a tablespoonful of the prepared sauce in each; upon this put a layer of fish, season lightly with salt and pepper, and fill the shells with more sauce and fish. Lastly cover with a thin layer of sauce, sprinkle over some freshly made bread-crumbs, and a few tiny bits of butter. Bake in a fairly hot oven till the surface is nicely browned, and send to table hot.

AGRICULTURE FOR WOMEN.

Miss Tuke, principal of Bedford College, took the chair at the annual meeting held at the College Hall of the Women's Agricultural and Horticultural International Union. Amongst those present were:

Mrs. Wilton Allhusen (chairman of council), Lady Gwendolen Guinness, Lady Newnes, the Hon. Mrs. Norman Grosvenor, Mrs. Ross, Mrs. Roland Wilkins, Miss Williamson (principal of Swanley), Mrs. Nugent Harris, Mrs. Chamberlain, Miss Agar, Mr. Robins (Woods and Forests Department).

Miss Tuke pointed out the need for development of this profession for women, since the war had made it necessary for a larger number than ever of those belonging to the educated classes to earn their own living. Educated women were ready to learn, and they might obtain useful information from Denmark, Belgium, and France. Careers of all sorts would be required for women in the near future, and gardening and agriculture afforded exceptional opportunities.

Since the last annual meeting, according to the report read by Mrs. Chamberlain, sixty-eight new members have joined the union, which now numbers 345, including farmers, smallholders, poultry breeders, managers, gardeners in various sections, teachers, and heads of institutions. The number of employers on the list has been fifty-eight, and out of 586 applicants for work thirty-nine have been suited.

Mrs. Roland Wilkins read a paper in which she dealt with the new conditions created by the war and the openings on the land for women workers. Funds were required to further the work of the union, and to help an endeavour to put information resulting from experience into a convenient form for a consultation shortly to be held with a representative of the Board of Agriculture.

THE NEW MILLINERY.

EVIDENCES OF MILITARY INSPIRATION

It is a strange coincidence writes S. C. M. in the "Manchester Guardian" that many of the new winter hats are marked by a decidedly military note. The strangeness lies in the fact that many of the models were designed in Paris before the outbreak of the war. A period of success for the little hat had produced experiments in a variety of shapes. And it was merely the Parisiennes' habit of seizing an idea, wherever it presented itself, which resulted in the introduction of the jaunty little models which swagger in so gay and soldierly a manner.

But though the war was not responsible for their origin, no doubt it had its full share in the success of these models, attracting attention to them and making them popular, just as the struggule in the Balkans initiated and pushed forward a fashion for Bulgarian colours and embroideries. And among all these semi-military shapes that which nearly approaches the Scotch cap is the most modish of all. Generally speaking, they are carried out in black or dark blue velvet, with just a cockade of silk or moire, a cluster of gold flowers, a long quill or a slender fantasie for the only ornament, and they are worn as much on the side of the head as is the cap of the most high-spirited soldier who ever marched to the tune of "Tipperary."

Naturally such a hat exacts much of the wearer in the way of neatness and smartness in the arrangement of the hair. This comes as a matter of course to the Parisienne, but the Englishwoman is too much inclined to waive such trails aside with an air of superiority. And by so doing she often entirely destroys the essential character of the millinery she affects. Still, it was an Englishwoman—very tall and very fair, with neatly chiselled features—who converted me to the idea that the Scotch cap type of hat could be worn charmingly on this side of the Channel. She was a woman of originality, too, for she had not chosen the popular velvet for her hat, but fur; and this fur was folded into the long narrow shape she had desired, and the brim had been provided by a dark tartan silk. The only ornament was cleverly constructed in the same silk, twisted into a fantastic cockade.

MORE MILITARY MODES.

It is evident that this type of hat is still suggesting fresh ideas for the new winter millinery. And it is sure to be continually and cleverly modified as the season advances. Already, in fact, I have happened upon more than one model which, being larger and wider, left less of the head exposed, and thus did not depend so much upon the wearer for a happy effect. The whole hat was carried out in black velvet with a stiffened brim; and it was without ornament, except for the half-inch braiding in silk which was cunningly introduced and seemed to emphasise the military note.

Nor is it difficult to trace a connection between the many closely fitting hats of sable or mink and the newly awakened interest in all things military. Again and again have the busby and even the Cossack's famous astrachan cap suggested an idea which has been carried out in a fur which is considered becoming to the feminine complexion. The shape is much modified of course; in many instances the crown is in velvet, which may or may not tune with the fur. For decorations there is a cockade of the velvet or merely a tassel which falls over the deep brim of fur. An ermine hat of this kind is an exception in London today, but many recent models I have seen one which was very prettily fashioned, with a high crown, twisted and folded, and rising from the head without any definite brim. It was trimmed with a fantastic high ornament of folded black velvet.

THE "SAILOR" MODELS.

Side by side with these small hats which are now neat and again coquettish, their character varying with the temperament of the wearer, there is a large number which are generally classed together under the title of "sailor." These have now little to do with the bluejacket's straw which first suggested the type; but custom had applied the name to all that millinery which is distinguished by a straight brim and round flat-topped crown. It is a somewhat severe type of millinery, too; but carried out, as it is this winter, in velvet or in taffetas lined with velvet, it deserves to be considered by those who are looking for something which is really becoming. A black taffetas, model, which is exquisitely embroidered with the tiniest bunches of flowers, is an example of the ingenuity with which variety is provided in these hats. And it is particularly pretty, too, a suggestion of the eighteenth century being instantly conveyed by the rich yet delicate colouring of the stitchery. The brim of this hat is lined with velvet, and its only decoration is a long narrow quill, also fashioned in velvet.

The woman whose characteristics of feature and expression essentially demand something less severe than the hard straight brim of the sailor hat, can easily soften its effect by outling the edge with a wreath of feather trimming. This is an idea, too, which has all the sanction of the mode. For not only the sailor but many a hat of a more picturesque type is trimmed in this manner, both ostrich feathers and cocks' feathers being used for the purpose. The former are either woven into a fluffy wreath or the tiny tips are crisply and yet not too stiffly curled, so that they give height as well as softness to the brim. The cocks' feathers, too, are cunningly treated, so that they may escape all appearance of stiffness.

Hats trimmed in this manner need no further ornament, save perhaps a flower set at the side or a high fantasie of the same feathers to stand erect.

Height, indeed, is continually studied in the millinery of the hour. Even the toques, which are fashioned to withstand hte strong winds of an English December, are finished with huge bows or aigrettes which tower above the cosy closely fitting crown. These toques are deftly draped in velvet, and taffetas and moire, as well as in fur of every description. And, when one is carefully chosen and cleverly worn it deserves a pre-eminent place in the ranks of the new winter millinery.

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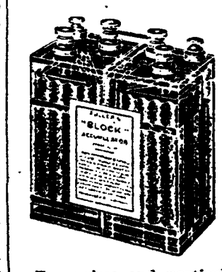

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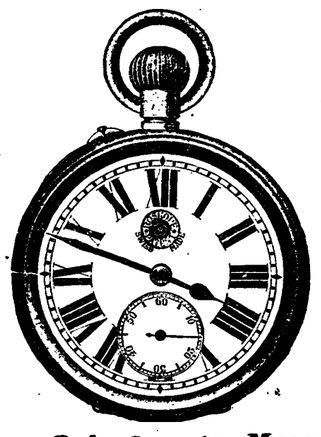

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